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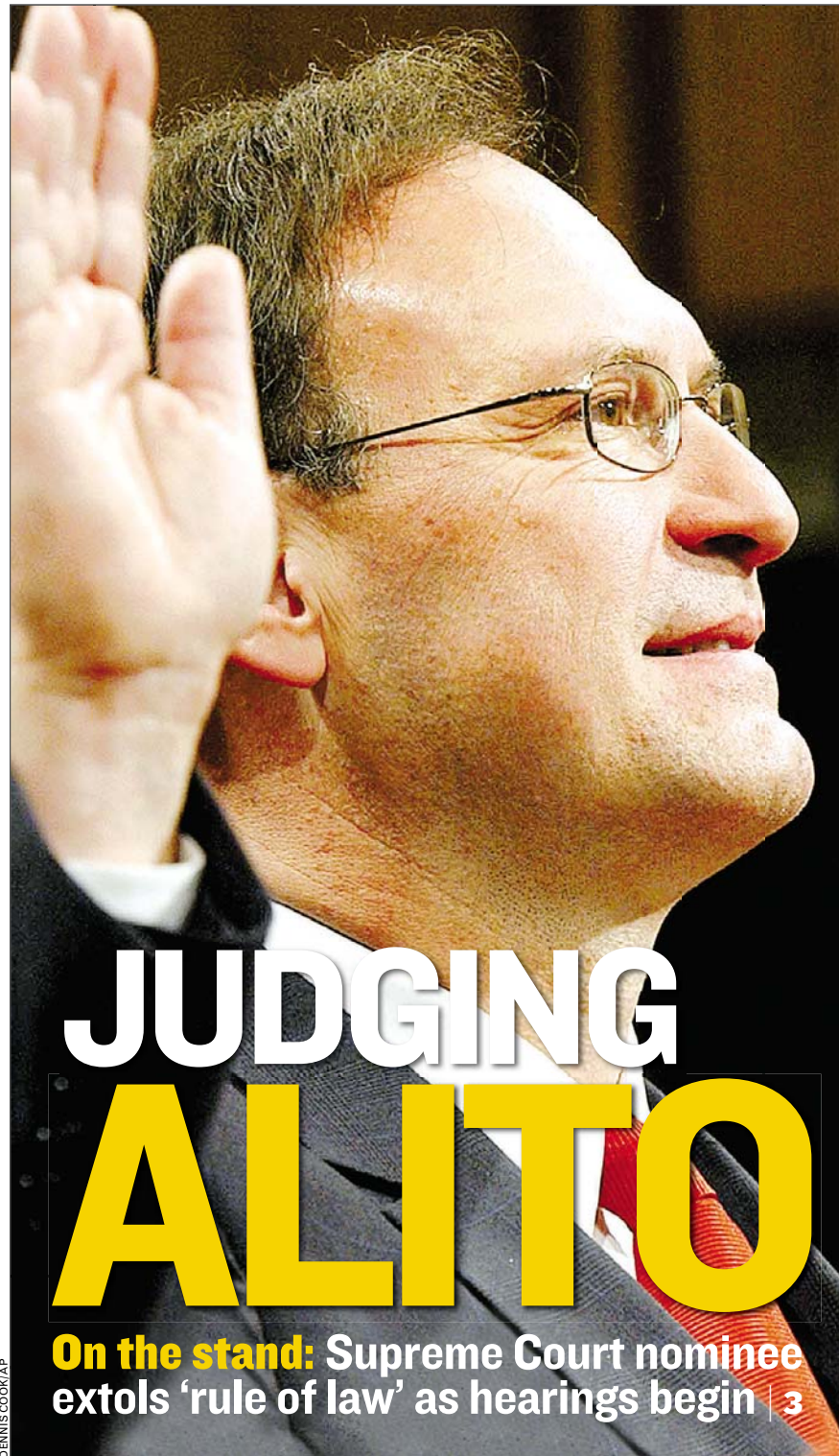
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## Dow Hits Post-9/11 Milestone

Blue chips close over 11,000 as market continues to rally

**NEW YORK** | The Dow Jones industrial average closed above 11,000 Monday for the first time since before the Sept. 11, 2001, terrorist attacks, boosted by a five-day rally that has sent stocks soaring so far in 2006.

The average of 30 blue-chip stocks ended the day up 52.59, or 0.48 percent, at 11,011.90. The last time the Dow finished above 11,000 was June 7, 2001, when it closed at 11,090.74.

**HIGH & LOW**

Monday's advance followed a 241-point surge last week as investors grew increasingly optimistic that the Federal Reserve will soon end its string of interest rate hikes. Investment firms' upgrades of Dow components General Motors Corp. and JPMorgan Chase & Co. helped carry the index past 11,000 Monday.

→ **The Dow** hit a high of 11,722.98 on Jan. 11, 2000, as the high-tech boom neared its peak.  
→ **It fell** to 7,286.27 on Oct. 9, 2002, amid a post-9/11 economic slump.

"It sends a signal that the U.S. economy has weathered some pretty harsh storms over the past few years and in recent months," Art Hogan, chief investment strategist at Jefferies & Co., said of the Dow's achievement.

Still, the market faces tests in the days ahead — key economic data on retail sales and wholesale prices later this week, as well as the upcoming fourth-quarter earnings season.

The Dow came within 16 points of 11,000 last March 7, but fell back amid worries about inflation and higher oil prices, concerns that dogged the market for much of 2005. (AP)

**OVERLOOKED | Cracking the Case** A Camden, N.J., jury became unwitting investigators while looking at the bloody coat of the victim in an attempted-murder trial Thursday. The panel found something the authorities missed: 30 bags of what



appeared to be crack. The deliberations were stopped after the discovery, and the jury was told to return to the courthouse next week. Charles Gould, 25, is on trial for the shooting of Dwaun Drayton in 2003. (AP) **EyeOpeners** | Page 2

# eyeOpeners

## ARTIFACTS

## Thank You for Giving Us Back This Thingy

A thief has anonymously returned an artifact he stole 42 years ago from a Norwegian museum — but officials don't exactly know what the object is, the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation reported. The Norwegian embassy in Paris received the artifact with a note saying "for 40 years I have enjoyed this rare tool... I have now decided to return it to the descendants of those who imagined it, built it and used it." There's just one problem: authorities have no idea what the artifact — a 3-inch wooden object with curlicues and fitted on an iron base — is. (EXPRESS)



## DISPOSAL

## They Needed to Get Rid of It Anyway

Police on Wednesday arrested a Glendale, Calif., man who allegedly torched the city's 30-foot-tall Christmas tree in retaliation for a parking ticket. The tree at the Civic Center's Parcher Plaza was reduced to charcoal Dec. 30; witnesses told police that they saw a gray-haired man leaving the scene in a blue pickup truck shortly before the fire started. Bruce Morrison was arrested and booked for investigation of arson, officials said. Police said the city will seek restitution of the tree's \$2,500 cost and another \$5,000 in decorations and fencing that were destroyed in the fire. (AP)



ROBIN LOZNAK/AP

## ESCAPES

## Bul Run

Can't really blame it, can you? This cow made a dash through the streets of Great Falls, Mont., while running from law enforcement officers on Thursday after fleeing a slaughterhouse. The 1,200-pound animal had several near-death experiences in the escape from Mickey's Packing Plant before it was captured and held in a makeshift pen and then a stock trailer. Now, appeals to spare the cow's life are coming in from across the country to the slaughterhouse and cow's owner. (EXPRESS)



## OBSERVATION

## Appraised Suspicion

Diamond earrings stolen from a college fundraiser were recovered when a man tried to have them appraised at the Fargo, N.D., jewelry store that donated them, authorities said. Police said the man was arrested after he brought the \$4,600 earrings to Wimmer's Jewelry; owner Brad Wimmer said the man had the original box along with the description of the jewelry. "It was all very goofy," Wimmer said. "The value of the earrings was right on the description." Wimmer's had donated the earrings to the North Dakota State University Development Foundation for its silent auction. They apparently were stolen from a storage area sometime during the Oct. 21-22 event, according to the foundation. (AP)

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"I debated the issue of whether to wear a baseball cap or toupee, or shave my head and be a sex symbol. I chose none of the above."

—Sen. Arlen Specter, on hairstyle options after his Chemotherapy treatments left him bald.



## Nation

# Alito: 'A Judge Has No Agenda'

High court nominee on defense as Senate Dems get aggressive

WASHINGTON | Judge Samuel Alito absorbed hours of criticism from Senate Democrats at close quarters Monday, then pledged at his confirmation hearings to do what the law requires "in every single case" if approved for the Supreme Court.

"A judge can't have any agenda, a judge can't have any preferred outcome in any particular case, and a judge certainly doesn't have a client," said Alito, the 55-year-old appeals judge who is President Bush's choice to succeed Sandra Day O'Connor for the swing seat on a divided high court.

Alito spoke after several Democrats on the Judiciary Committee made clear they intended to question him with unusual aggressiveness across the next few days about abortion, presidential powers in an age of terrorism, his personal credibility and more.

The atmosphere was different by several degrees from confirmation hearings last fall for Chief Justice John Roberts. He had originally been named to succeed O'Connor, but then Chief Justice William Rehnquist died, and Bush quickly made Roberts his choice for that post. That meant Roberts would be replacing one of the court's most reliable conservative votes on abortion and other issues.



Supreme Court nominee Samuel Alito walks past supporters on Capitol Hill on Monday ahead of his confirmation hearings.

Bush's next choice for the O'Connor vacancy, Harriet Miers, withdrew her nomination after coming under sustained criticism from conservatives who said they doubted her credentials on abortion.

Those two factors — plus the erosion in Bush's public support as measured in the polls — combined to make for a feistier Democratic presence in the committee room, and a more contentious opening day of hearings.

DAVID ESPO (AP)

### HEARSAY | SENATORS REACT TO ALITO

"In an era when the White House is abusing power... I find Judge Alito's support for an all-powerful executive branch to be genuinely troubling." —SEN. EDWARD KENNEDY, D-MASS.

"As of right now, there's no question he's going to have my vote." —SEN. ORRIN HATCH, R-UTAH

"[He] give[s] the impression of being a meticulous legal navigator, but, in the end, [he] always seem[s] to chart a rightward course." —SEN. CHARLES SCHUMER, D-N.Y.

## Strain of Bird Flu Not As Deadly

Virus is milder, but more widespread than thought, study shows

CHICAGO | As bird flu cases rise at a disturbing pace in Turkey, new research offers a bit of hope — it's likely that many people who get it don't become seriously ill and quickly recover.

Although not definitive, the new study suggests the virus is more widespread than thought. But it also probably doesn't kill half its victims, a fear based solely on flu cases that have been officially confirmed.

"The results suggest that the symptoms most often are relatively mild and that close contact is needed for transmission to humans," wrote Dr. Anna Thorson in the study, published in Monday's edition of *Archives of Internal Medicine*.

The new study involved 45,476 randomly selected residents of a rural region where bird flu is rampant among poultry — Ha Tay province west of Hanoi. A total of 8,149 reported flu-like illness with a fever and cough, and residents who had direct contact with dead or sick poultry were 73 percent more likely to have experienced those symptoms than residents without direct contact. LINDSAY TANNER (AP)

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## Nation

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The percentage of Americans who think the best way to get rich is by winning the lottery, Reuters reported Monday, citing a survey by the Consumer Federation of America and the Financial Planning Association.

# Mine Accident Inquiry Takes Shape

## Officials plan to hold public hearings; lone survivor fights fever

BUCKHANNON, W.VA. | As the investigation into the Sago Mine disaster took shape Monday, the best hope for firsthand details about the explosion and its aftermath lay in critical condition, fighting a fever.

Doctors treating sole survivor Randal McCloy Jr. declined to speculate on when the 26-year-old would fully wake up from a medically induced coma or comment on

the extent of any brain damage suffered in the tragedy that killed 12 fellow coal miners

But physicians said that McCloy's brain stem appeared to be normal, and that a fever is common for patients in intensive care. McCloy was breathing on his own, although he remained connected to a ventilator as a precaution, and was responding to stimuli, doctors said.

Federal and state mine safety officials pledged to hold joint public hearings on the accident. Meanwhile, Sen. Robert C. Byrd, D-W.Va., said federal mine safety officials would

be called to testify before a Senate subcommittee that would hold hearings into the disaster beginning Jan. 19.



Friend

Among the questions investigators are sure to ask: Could the trapped miners have walked out under their own power, instead of following their training and waiting for a rescue that arrived too late?

Bob Friend, acting deputy assistant secretary of labor for mine safety

at the federal Mine Health and Safety Administration, said it was too soon to tell.

"We don't know the exact conditions," Friend said. "We don't know what obstructions the miners encountered coming back in the other direction."

Another focus will be the miscommunication that led to the mistaken belief that 12 of the trapped miners had been rescued alive. That sparked a celebration at a nearby church that was halted three hours later by the devastating news of their deaths.

DAVID DISHNEAU (AP)

## In Brief



A firefighter works a hotspot on a wildfire near Aguilar, Colo., on Sunday.

### DENVER, COLO.

#### Snowfall Aids Crews Battling Wind-Fueled Wildfires

Snowfall during the night helped crews battling a wind-driven, 5,000-acre wildfire Monday that had destroyed at least three homes in a southern Colorado town, but residents remained on alert for possible evacuation orders. Residents of 215 homes near Aguilar had already fled but no injuries were reported. (AP)

### PHILADELPHIA

#### Slaying Suspects Agree to Return to Face Charges in Va.

Two men charged with conspiracy in the killings of seven people in Virginia agreed Monday not to fight being sent to that state. Ray Joseph Dandridge and Ricky Gray, both 28, were captured Saturday in Philadelphia on charges stemming from the killings of members of two Richmond, Va., families. (AP)

### HOUSTON

#### Woman Convicted of Drowning Her Children Pleads Innocent

Andrea Yates pleaded innocent by reason of insanity Monday in the drowning deaths of her children. It was Yates' first court appearance since her 2002 capital murder convictions were overturned. Prosecutors and Yates' attorney said they are still negotiating a plea deal, but both sides said they've agreed not to discuss them publicly. (AP)

### Bremer's Misgivings

→ In a new book, L. Paul Bremer, the senior U.S. official in Iraq from May 2003 to June 2004, says that from the time he took the job, he had misgivings about the adequacy of the U.S. and allied force levels in the country. | **Today, Page A1**

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### SEATTLE | 22 DAYS OF RAIN AND COUNTING



**FEEL THE DAMPNES:** A pedestrian walks past a sign for the Pike Place Market in downtown Seattle on Monday. The city's 22 straight days of rain is approaching a record set in 1953, when rain fell for 33 consecutive days.

## Charges Against DeLay Upheld in Texas Court

AUSTIN | The state's highest criminal court on Monday denied Rep. Tom DeLay's request that the money laundering charges against him be dismissed or sent back to a lower court for an immediate trial.

The Texas Court of Criminal Appeals denied the requests with no written order two days after he announced he was stepping down as House majority leader. DeLay had been forced to temporarily relinquish the Republican leadership post after he was indicted on money laundering and conspiracy charges in September.



DeLay

DeLay, who denies wrongdoing, had been trying to rush to trial in Texas in hopes of clearing his name and regaining the position.

The House is expected to hold leadership elections when lawmakers return to the Capitol the week of Jan. 31.

DeLay's attorney, Dick DeGuerin, said they will continue to push for a quick trial because DeLay faces opposition in the March Republican primary.

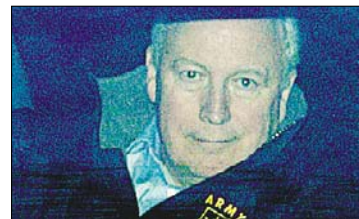
"We'd like to get it over with before then, but it's not as crucial as it would have been if he were still in the running for his leadership post," DeGuerin said.

LIZ AUSTIN (AP)

## Cheney Treated for Breathing Trouble

WASHINGTON | Medication that Dick Cheney was taking for a foot problem caused fluid retention that in turned caused shortness of breath, resulting in a brief but not serious hospital stay early Monday for the vice president, his office said.

Cheney, who has a long history of heart-related health problems, was taken to George Washington University Hospital at 3 a.m. About four and a half hours later, he headed for home. By mid-after-



Cheney leaves the hospital on Monday.

noon, the vice president was at the White House attending meetings and following his regular schedule, a spokeswoman said. (AP)

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# World



**CHEF CHARADE:** A survey finds that almost a third of young Britons have passed off a ready-made meal as their own creation in order to impress someone, Reuters reported. Forty percent of women and 22 percent of men admitted to the offense.

## 29 Killed in Attacks on Iraqi Police

2 bombers dressed in uniform trigger blasts on National Police Day

**BAGHDAD, IRAQ** | Two suicide bombers disguised as police infiltrated the heavily fortified Interior Ministry compound in Baghdad and blew themselves up Monday during celebrations of National Police Day, killing 29 Iraqis.

The attackers died before getting near the U.S. ambassador and senior Iraqi officials at the festivities but the blasts capped a partic-



Iraqi police secure an entrance of the Interior Ministry complex on Monday.

ularly deadly week for American and Iraqi forces.

The first bomber was shot by the police, but his explosives detonated. A second bomber detonated his explosives. One bomber was wearing the uniform of an Iraqi police major and the other was dressed as a lieutenant colonel. Both had passes that enabled them to get into the compound.

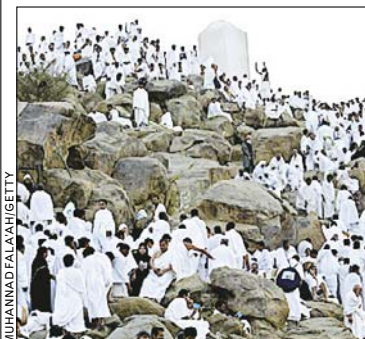
An Internet site known for publishing extremist material from al Qaeda in Iraq leader Abu Musab al-Zarqawi carried a claim of responsibility for Monday's suicide attack,

saying it was in revenge for the torture of Sunni Arab prisoners at two detention facilities run by the Shiite-led Interior Ministry.

The escalating violence since the Dec. 15 parliamentary elections came as Iraq's electoral commission again delayed releasing the results of the vote.

Meanwhile, the U.S. military said eight U.S. troops and four U.S. civilians died aboard a U.S. Army Black Hawk helicopter that crashed late Saturday. The military initially said only that eight passengers and four crew were aboard. (AP)

### In Brief



Muslim pilgrims climb the Mount of Mercy outside Mecca on Monday.

#### **MOUNT ARAFAT, SAUDI ARABIA** **Over 2M Muslim Pilgrims Observe Sacred Hajj Rituals**

More than 2 million Muslim pilgrims made the climactic ascent Monday to Mount Arafat, Islam's most sacred site, to pray for salvation, and Saudi Arabia's top cleric urged Islamic unity in the face of what he called the West's war on Islam. After offering prayers on the mount, tens of thousands of the faithful rushed down the hill to the Muzdalifah, a few miles away, where they collected pebbles to use in one of the last rituals of the hajj, a symbolic stoning of the devil. (AP)

#### **TORONTO** **Conservatives Lead in Polls As Campaigning Winds Up**

Conservatives have gained a healthy lead in the polls over their Liberal Party opponents as Canada's top four political leaders face off Monday in the last crucial English-language debates ahead of federal elections in two weeks. Prime Minister Paul Martin, whose Liberals were lagging far behind the Conservatives according to two polls released Monday, is likely to keep focus on Canada's strong economy in the nationally televised debate. (AP)

#### **KAMPALA, UGANDA** **Judge Convicts Rwandan Rebel in Deaths of 8 Tourists**

A judge convicted a Rwandan rebel Monday of killing eight foreign tourists in 1999, including an Oregon couple and their guide who were on a gorilla-watching trip. Jean-Paul Bizimana, alias Xavier Van Dame, was to be sentenced at a hearing Friday and could face the death penalty. (AP)

## U.S. Reporter Abducted

**BAGHDAD, IRAQ** | Iraqi police were searching Monday for an American journalist who was kidnapped over the weekend when gunmen ambushed her car and killed her translator in western Baghdad.

Jill Carroll, 28, a freelance reporter on assignment for The Christian Science Monitor, was seized Saturday in the al-Adel area, a Sunni Arab neighborhood and one of the capital's most dangerous. Police said she went there to meet a Sunni Arab politician.

The neighborhood has been the site of numerous attacks against U.S. and Iraqi troops and security forces. It is also home to the Umm

al-Qura mosque, headquarters of the Association of Muslim Scholars, a major Sunni clerical group that is believed to have ties to some insurgent groups.



Carroll

The mosque was raided by U.S. troops shortly before dawn Sunday. An American military official, speaking on condition of anonymity, said the raid was a necessary immediate response to the kidnapping based on a tip provided by an Iraqi citizen. PATRICK QUINN (AP)



**SPARED:** Ali Hasan Kocyigit, the only child in his family to survive after at least two of his siblings died from bird flu, arrives home to a kiss from his mother in Dogubayazit.

## 5 More Kids in Turkey Show Signs of Bird Flu

**DOGUBAYAZIT, TURKEY** | Five more children in Turkey tested positive in preliminary tests for a deadly bird flu strain, as the U.N.'s health agency warned Monday that each new human case increased the virus' chances for mutating into a form that could spark a pandemic.

Turkish officials said they had so far culled 106,000 fowl as the virus spread from the easternmost Iranian border to Istanbul, on the edge of Europe.

There are now 15 suspected or confirmed cases of the deadly H5N1 strain in Turkey, after the new cases discovered in four sep-

arate provinces tested positive in Turkish labs.

Two of the confirmed H5N1 cases included siblings who died last week in the eastern city of Van — the first confirmed bird flu fatalities outside eastern Asia, where 74 people have been killed by H5N1 since 2003. A third sibling also died in Van, but a World Health Organization lab has yet to confirm H5N1.

There was some good news Monday, as the youngest of the four siblings, Ali Hasan Kocyigit, was released from a Van hospital after tests indicated he did not have the disease. BENJAMIN HARVEY (AP)

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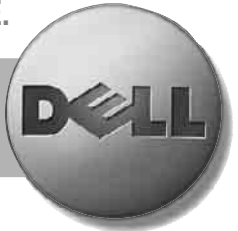
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## World

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The approximate number of homeless children living on the streets in South America's biggest city of Sao Paulo, Brazil, a study shows. Another 3,000 who are not homeless work on the streets, selling candy or begging.

# Sharon Able to Breathe on His Own

Israeli leader moves limbs but doctors say full analysis days away

JERUSALEM | Ariel Sharon started breathing on his own Monday and moved his right arm and leg in response to pain stimulation in what his surgeon called an important development. But it will be days before doctors can determine whether he is lucid or will be able to return to the job.

"The prime minister is breathing spontaneously," said Dr. Shlomo Mor-Yosef, the director of Hadassah Hospital, adding that the movements of Sharon's arm and leg marked "a slight but significant improvement."

Sharon's response is a "very important" sign and indicated his brain stem is working, said his chief surgeon, Dr. Felix Umansky.

It is still too early, however, to assess what impact the massive bleeding he suffered in his right



**AILING LEADER:** An ultra-Orthodox Jewish man prays at the Western Wall in Jerusalem's Old City on Monday as Israelis awaited word on Sharon's condition.

brain would have on his abilities to think and reason or on the left side of his body, Umansky said.

A final medical analysis on Sharon's long-term prognosis would end days of uncertainty over the fate of the 77-year-old prime minister, heralded by many as the best hope for Mideast peace.

More clarity as to Sharon's condition might enable his new, centrist Kadima Party to select a successor and start campaigning for March 28 elections. Acting Prime Minister Ehud Olmert is seen as the most likely heir.

The Palestinians' political future, which was to be decided in Jan. 25 parliament elections, also appeared in limbo.

Palestinian leader Mahmoud Abbas reiterated Monday that the vote would take place on time, but Palestinian Interior Minister Nasser Yousef warned his security forces would not be able to protect polling stations against gunmen.

KARIN LAUB (AP)

## New Stem Cell Fraud Probe Due

Reports: Panel finds S. Korean's embryonic cloning claim was a lie

SEOUL, SOUTH KOREA | Disgraced South Korean scientist Hwang Woo-suk began his stunning rise to international fame after publishing a paper in 2004 in the journal Science purporting to have cloned a human embryo and extracted stem cells from it.

The veracity of those claims as well as another this year that his team cloned the world's first dog were due to be judged Tuesday by the university where he conducted his research, ending an investigation that has already left his once vaunted reputation as a cloning pioneer in tatters.



Hwang

A pair of news reports Monday suggested that the 2004 embryonic stem cell claim was also likely to have been a fabrication. The university refused to comment pending the release of its report.

Hwang, a professor of veterinary medicine, said after the university's interim report was released last month that he would resign from the school, but has yet to tender his resignation. BO-MI LIM (AP)

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## No Word on Iran's Nuclear Research

TEHRAN, IRAN | There was no official word from Iran on Monday that it had resumed nuclear research, despite government pledges that it would do so.

Inspectors from the International Atomic Energy Agency arrived in Tehran on Saturday to remove seals they had affixed to the nuclear research sites more than two years ago. They were expected to complete their task Monday and Iran had vowed it would immediately resume work.

Throughout the day, state media continued to report that the seals would be broken and research would begin. But the day finished with no word of any developments.

It was not clear why Iran might have delayed its pledge, though at least one official had said recently that the resumption could come either Monday or Tuesday.

It was possible that talks with the IAEA over restarting the research — which were ongoing Sunday — had not yet concluded. (AP)



## Rapid & Sustained Improvement in Depressive Symptoms Research

The Mood & Anxiety Disorders Program at NIMH is conducting research on depression and rapid improvement of symptoms. Researchers hope to improve depression symptoms within 24 hours, and continue the improvement using medications. NIMH is seeking people with depression (unipolar or bipolar) who are:

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**Local****In Brief****RANDALLSTOWN, MD.****Ehrlich Proposes Cutting Property Tax by 2 Cents**

Three years after he used an increase in the state property tax to balance his first budget, Gov. Robert Ehrlich said Monday he will ask the legislature to return part of the money by reducing the state property tax rate by 2 cents and providing additional property tax reductions for low-income homeowners. The reduction in the rate to 11.2 cents for each \$100 of assessed value will cost the state about \$98 million and give homeowners an average tax break of \$42 a year. (AP)

**WASHINGTON****Dulles, Reagan National Get New Explosives Detectors**

Dulles and Reagan National airports are now using high-tech explosive detectors at security checkpoints. The Transportation Security Administration said certain passengers will have to go through the new machines, which hit a person with bursts of air which release microscopic particles from the person. Those particles are then analyzed for traces of explosives. (AP)

**WASHINGTON****D.C. Emergency Medicine Gets Good Grade in Report**

D.C.'s emergency medicine system is among the best in the nation, according to a new study, with high grades for access, quality and safety, but low marks for public health and medical liability. The District ranked fourth among the 50 states in the study by the American College of Emergency Physicians, with an overall grade of "B." Only California, Connecticut and Massachusetts ranked higher. (AP)

**Killing Shocks Quiet Neighborhood****With no leads, police turn to public in case of slain journalist**

WASHINGTON | Police appealed to the public for help finding two men wanted for questioning in the death of a retired New York Times journalist.

David E. Rosenbaum, 63, died Sunday night, two days after he was robbed and beaten on Gramercy Street NW, in a quiet neighborhood of well-maintained single family homes between Connecticut and Wisconsin avenues.

Officers from the Metropolitan

Police Department's violent crimes branch are trying to locate a black two-door sedan seen leaving the Friendship Heights neighborhood at about the same time neighbors found Rosenbaum on the ground unconscious near his home.



Rosenbaum

"We don't know the type make or model. All we know is that possibly it has a tag number starting with five, one, six," said the MPD's Capt. C.V. Morris. The jurisdiction issuing the tag was not known. He



Marcus Rosenbaum speaks to the press about his brother's death.

also stressed that the men are "not suspects."

Rosenbaum was found around 9:20 p.m. Friday, a short time after he'd gone for a walk. Investigators believe he was struck on the head from behind, and may have been unaware of his attackers because he was wearing headphones.

"We already take more precautions after dark, this is just terrible news," said Mary Durkin, who lived near the Rosenbaum family.

Morris said he had no leads in the case, but investigators were not focusing on the possibility that two suspects caught in Philadelphia in connection with seven murders in Richmond, Va., could be responsible. DERRILL HOLLY (AP)

**NATIONAL ZOO | 6-MONTH MARK FOR TAI SHAN**

**HE'S STILL CUTE:** Tai Shan, the National Zoo's panda cub, turned six-months old on Monday, apparently marking the occasion by playing with toys in his indoor enclosure. Tai Shan's nose is turning black, a sign that the little cub continues to grow and mature. He now weighs 27 pounds.



**TREND CONTINUES:** More homes are going on the market with fewer being sold in D.C. and Montgomery County, according to figures on those jurisdictions released Monday by the Greater Capital Area Association of Realtors. In D.C., the number of contracts for single-family homes was down 23.2 percent in December compared to the same period in 2004. (AP)

**Democrat to Challenge Allen for Senate Seat**

MCLEAN, VA. | A leader in Northern Virginia's technology community filed papers Monday to run as a Democratic candidate for the U.S. Senate, seeking to unseat Republican incumbent George Allen in November.

Harris Miller, 54, of McLean, said he plans to run in the mold of Gov. Mark R. Warner, who was

also a technology executive from Northern Virginia when he was elected governor four years ago.

Miller recently resigned as president of the Information Technology Association of America. (AP)



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Mid-day Lucky Numbers **1-1-4**  
Evening Lucky Numbers **7-1-6**  
Mid-day DC 4 **8-4-7-7**

Evening DC 4 **3-9-0-0**  
Rolling Cash Five **13-12-34-09-08**  
Daily 6 **20-39-12-28-30-22 Bonus: 34**

**MARYLAND**

Mid-day Pick 3 **7-7-9**  
Evening Pick 3 **6-2-5**  
Mid-day Pick 4 **1-0-0-2**

Evening Pick 4 **0-1-2-2**  
Match 5 **04-05-20-26-38 Bonus: 07**

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Mid-day Pick 4 **0-6-5-3**  
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**IN THE COLD:** Despite the billions spent every year on over-the-counter cough syrups, most such medicines do little to relieve coughs, the nation's chest physicians say. The syrups generally contain drugs in too low a dose to be effective.

# Money

## Howard Stern Debuts on Sirius

Free of the FCC, shock jock has his first show for paying customers

NEW YORK | He took pot shots at free radio, the Federal Communications Commission, even TV personality Pat O'Brien. Howard Stern debuted on satellite radio Monday, stirring up trouble and talking dirty.

But this time, he won't get bleeped.

"I don't compete on terrestrial radio anymore," said Stern, who is finally free of government decency laws on Sirius Satellite Radio Inc. "It's so over."

Stern has promised everything from stripper poles to live sex on his new show. But he used only a moderate amount of swearing and said his show was more about ideas, not the f-word.

Even before his first day on the job at Sirius, the shock jock recruited listeners for the \$13-per-



Howard Stern holds a news conference from his Sirius studio in New York City.

month service: The Sirius audience expanded from 600,000 at the time the switch was announced to more than 3.3 million subscribers, Stern said Monday.

During an on-air news conference, Stern was asked how he felt about listeners having to pay to hear his new show.

"I believe that people will pay for radio," he said. "It's everything iPod can't be. iPod can't give you content and we can." ERIN CARLSON (AP)

## CNOOC Buys Into Nigerian Oil Field

BEIJING | Chinese state-controlled oil company CNOOC Ltd. said it is paying \$2.3 billion for a 45 percent stake in a Nigerian oil field — its first major investment since last year's failed bid to take over Unocal Corp.

The deal adds to a multibillion-dollar string of foreign acquisitions by Chinese oil companies, which are aggressively pursuing energy supplies to fuel the country's booming economy.

The agreement, which needs

approval from the Nigerian and Chinese governments, covers part of the oil-rich Niger Delta region, CNOOC said.

CNOOC last year offered \$18.5 billion for Los Angeles-based Unocal, but withdrew its bid in August after opposition from U.S. politicians. (AP)

## Market Action

### New York Stock Exchange

#### Gainers

STOCK	LAST	DAILY CHANGE	DAILY PERCENT CHANGE
WaterPk	27.18	+5.56	+25.7
StarGas	2.57	+.30	+13.2
StarGsSr	2.25	+.24	+11.9
Rogers	45.88	+4.78	+11.6
Xanser	4.19	+.37	+9.7

#### Losers

STOCK	LAST	DAILY CHANGE	DAILY PERCENT CHANGE
NatFnPrt	52.00	-2.95	-5.4
SagaCom	10.40	-.54	-4.9
ChicB&I slf	22.93	-1.12	-4.7
Turksh	24.50	-1.20	-4.7
BcLatn	17.65	-.74	-4.0

### NASDAQ Stock Market

#### Gainers

STOCK	LAST	DAILY CHANGE	DAILY PERCENT CHANGE
LightPth	6.40	+3.90	+156.0
Alfacell	2.70	+.66	+32.4
EmisTch	5.80	+1.13	+24.2
Rambus	28.20	+5.26	+22.9
GWilliFood	3.89	+.71	+22.3

#### Losers

STOCK	LAST	DAILY CHANGE	DAILY PERCENT CHANGE
Spatialt	2.87	-.59	-17.1
AccessNt s	11.30	-2.17	-16.1
ChemGnx n	6.35	-1.15	-15.3
Phazar	10.35	-1.75	-14.5
EpiCept n	6.12	-.93	-13.2

### Rates

	CURRENT	PREVIOUS WEEK
Prime Rate	7.25	7.25
Fed Funds close	4.25	4.3125
3-month	4.12	4.03
2-year	4.35	4.33
10-year	4.37	4.37
30-year	4.55	4.55

### Currency (Dollars in foreign currency)

	TODAY	PREVIOUS DAY	YEAR AGO
British Pound	.5667	.5647	.5351
Canadian Dollar	1.1680	1.1655	1.2323
European Euro	.8276	.8227	.7663
Japanese Yen	114.35	114.39	104.88
Mexican Peso	10.5420	10.5600	11.2870
Taiwanese Dollar	32.42	32.19	32.12

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### Biotech Stocks

STOCK	LAST	DAILY CHANGE	YEAR TO DATE PERCENT CHANGE
Amgen	78.98	+.88	+.2
Amylin	43.10	+1.13	+8.0
BiogenIdc	47.55	+.37	+5.0
Celgene	71.88	+3.05	+10.9
ChRvLab	44.10	+.84	+4.1
Chiron	44.78	+.01	+.8
Genentech	92.66	+1.36	+.2
Genzyme	75.04	+.44	+6.0
GileadSci	57.91	+.88	+10.2
Imclone	35.43	-.20	+3.5
Invitrogn	69.84	+2.21	+4.8
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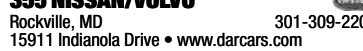
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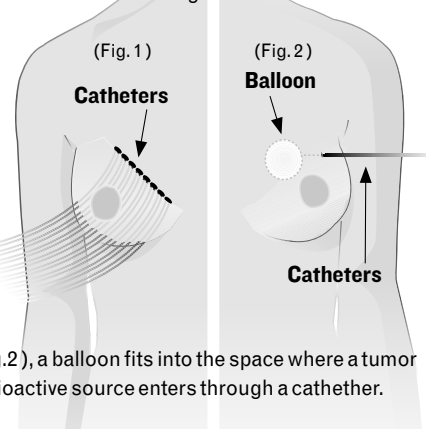
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**In another method (Fig.2),** a balloon fits into the space where a tumor was removed and a radioactive source enters through a catheter.

# Breast Cancer Therapies Tested

Treatments target  
sites of tumors rather  
than the whole breast

WASHINGTON | Radiation may get a little easier for thousands of breast cancer patients: Doctors now can target cancer-killing beams just at the tumor site instead of the whole breast, cutting the usual six-week treatment down to five days.

A major study is under way to prove whether the easier therapy is as effective as the old-fashioned kind and which of three five-day methods works best.

Even before those results are in, Canadian scientists are working to speed treatment still further. They've

developed a one-day method, permanently implanting radiation seeds inside the breast to kill stray cancer cells while women go about their normal routines — just like men's prostate cancer can be treated today.

It's an exciting time for this new approach, called partial-breast radiation, already fast gaining in popularity even before the National Cancer Institute-funded study to prove how well it works began recruiting volunteers in March.

But specialists warn that women must carefully weigh the new options — and that the best course for those who want the shorter therapy is to enroll in that study or several others testing the new approaches. LAURAN NEERGAARD (AP)

# Obese Men Face Risks From Prostate Cancer

CHARLOTTE, N.C. | Obese men face an increased risk of dying from prostate cancer and doctors should be especially thorough when checking these patients for the disease, a new study suggests.

Because the size of the prostate gland is larger in obese men, prostate cancer can be 20 percent to 25 percent harder for doctors to detect,

according to Dr. Stephen Freedland of Duke University Medical Center in Durham, the lead author of the study.

The study surveyed medical records of some 1,400 men diagnosed with cancer whose prostates were surgically removed from 1998 to 2004. The findings are being published in the February issue of the Journal of Urology. TIM WHITMIRE (AP)





**LOOGIE PATROL:** A group trying to keep Britain clean wants soccer players to stop spitting. The charity "Keep Britain Tidy," in a letter to the head of the players' union, says players spitting on the field sets a bad example for children.

## Sports

# Taylor Gets \$17K Fine for Spitting

**No suspension for the Redskins safety who will play vs. Seahawks**

**REDSKINS** | Washington Redskins safety Sean Taylor was fined \$17,000 Monday by the NFL for spitting in the face of Tampa Bay Buccaneers running back Michael Pittman.

Taylor was ejected and penalized for unsportsmanlike conduct for spitting at Pittman in the third quarter of Saturday's playoff game. The offense was considered so egregious that Pittman wasn't penalized for slapping Taylor in the helmet in retaliation.

The amount of the fine is the playoff bonus each Redskins player received for the first-round game, which the Redskins won 17-10.

Taylor escaped suspension for his action, keeping him on the active roster for this week's game at Seattle. He didn't comment after the game, and Monday was a day off for players. Taylor has told teammates and coaches that he did not spit at Pittman, and coach Joe Gibbs said a review of the video was inconclusive.

"If that took place, we understand the penalties," Gibbs said. "Sean is so valuable to us. I had a long talk with him afterward, and he understands that. He's all football. He wants to



**SPITTING IMAGE:** Sean Taylor stares at referee Mike Carey after being thrown out of Saturday's game for spitting on Tampa Bay's Michael Pittman. He denies the charge but was fined \$17,000 Monday for the incident. He will play Saturday against Seattle.

**"We have seen in sports and in life through the years — human hatred reduced to spittle. It's our venom. Our viscous vitriol. Our mobile bile."**

In honor of the Redskins' Sean Taylor, a look at the good and bad nature of spitting | **Today in Style**

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play. He's one of our leaders. He's had an outstanding year. He's very valuable to us. We can't afford to lose somebody like that."

Taylor has been fined several times in his two-year career for a bevy of infractions. He was investigated by the league last season for allegedly spitting at Cincinnati receiver T.J. Houshmandzadeh, but

no fine was levied because there was no video evidence.

He is scheduled to go on trial next week in Miami on a felony charge of aggravated assault stemming from a June 1 confrontation near his home, although he is expected to request a postponement because of the Redskins' playoff run. **JOSEPH WHITE (AP)**

## Swengali

**REDSKINS** | BY MATT SWENSON

## Redskins Luck Out With Fine

**THE OLD ADAGE** is that it's better to be lucky than good. What if you're both? You'd be the Washington Redskins, who are riding a wave of good fortune while playing, at least on defense, their best football of the season.

There's no taking away what Gregg Williams' defense did against Tampa. Led by Cornelius Griffin and Marcus Washington, the Redskins' D won that playoff game by forcing three turnovers and scoring a touchdown.

But the Redskins got some big breaks. Linebacker Washington's fumble landed right in the hands of Sean Taylor, who scored a touch-

**Without Taylor, the vaunted defense is ordinary.**

down, and the Bucs' Edell Shepherd dropped a sure TD pass to tie the game in the fourth quarter.

And the luck continues. On Monday, the NFL didn't suspend Taylor for allegedly spitting on Michael Pittman's face in the third quarter Saturday. Instead, Taylor was docked \$17,000 — a small price considering the act.

Make no mistake about it, the Redskins need Taylor on the field to beat the Seahawks, who have an array of offensive weapons. The safety has a lethal combination of speed, strength and killer instinct — the last of which sometimes gets him into trouble. Without Taylor, that vaunted defense is ordinary.

Now we know the Redskins should be able to keep Shaun Alexander at bay Saturday. All that's left is for the Redskins' offense to find its scoring touch.

Did anyone call for a miracle?

Matt Swenson is the sports editor of Express. E-mail matt.swenson@readexpress.com

## Olsen, Gros Ink 4-Year Deals to Stay With D.C.

**UNITED** | Midfielders Ben Olsen and Josh Gros signed new four-year contracts with D.C. United, the team announced Monday.

Olsen will be guaranteed about \$175,000 for each of the first two years of the deal, with options for the remaining two years. Gros' contract, which is not guaranteed, is worth about \$80,000 per year.

Olsen was MLS rookie of the year in 1998 and has spent his entire career with United. He had two goals and four assists in 2005. Second-year player Gros had four goals and four assists last season. **(AP)**

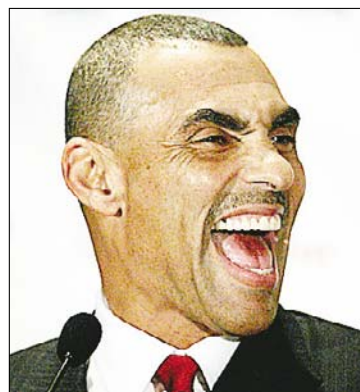
## Edwards Officially Takes Over in K.C.

**Coach leaves the Jets to succeed Vermeil as the Chiefs' head coach**

**NFL** | Herman Edwards was hired as coach of the Kansas City Chiefs on Monday, replacing the retired Dick Vermeil and inheriting a team that barely missed the playoffs.

The Chiefs will give Edwards' former team, the New York Jets, a fourth-round draft pick as compensation. Edwards still had two years left on his contract with New York.

At a news conference, Edwards insisted his players would embody teamwork, saying "talent alone doesn't win games. Teams win



Edwards has a good time in Kansas City.

games."

Edwards, who was a Chiefs assistant in the mid-1990s, also issued a warning: Don't ask about what

happened during those last tumultuous days in New York.

"It's good to be back home. It's good to be here. I believe in family. And what happened in New York stays in New York," he said.

Chiefs general manager Carl Peterson called his longtime friend Edwards "without question, one of the most qualified head football coaches in the NFL today."

Vermeil retired after going 44-36 in five years but reached the playoffs only once and did not get past the first game. Edwards, 51, was 39-41 in five years with the Jets, but made the playoffs three times, more than any previous Jets coach. **DOUG TUCKER (AP)**



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## Sports

# Ayala Gets 2-Year Deal From Nats

Relief pitcher avoids arbitration by signing a multiyear contract

**NATIONALS** | The Washington Nationals avoided arbitration with reliever Luis Ayala by agreeing to a two-year, \$2.2 million deal, his agent said Monday. The contract means the slender right-hander will bypass arbitration again next offseason and leaves the Nationals with four more arbitration-eligible players.

"He's thrilled," the agent, Joseph Longo, said. "He comes from a tough part of Mexico, and to get a two-year deal, he was almost in tears."

Ayala, who turns 28 on Thursday, went 8-7 with a 2.66 ERA in 68 appearances for the Nationals in 2005, when he was a key setup man

for closer Chad Cordero. In three major league seasons, he has never posted an ERA higher than 3.00 and has gained a measure of respect from his coaches and teammates because he likes to pitch frequently.

That tendency, however, may have caused Ayala problems late in the 2005 season. For four months, he was among the National League leaders in appearances. But his elbow started bothering him in August, and he made only two appearances after Aug. 21 because of a bone spur. He had surgery to shave the spur at the end of the season, and Longo said he is feeling much better.

Ayala is the first arbitration-eligible player in the two offseasons for which Bowden has been general manager of the franchise who has been signed to a multi-year deal.

BARRY SVRLUGA (THE WASHINGTON POST)



If Corey Patterson hit more homers, the Cubs wouldn't have traded him to the O's.

# O's Trade for Patterson

**ORIOLES** | Outfielder Corey Patterson, once projected as the Chicago Cubs' star of the future, was traded to the Baltimore Orioles on Monday for minor leaguers Nate Spears and Carlos Perez.

The 26-year-old Patterson hit .252 with 70 homers in parts of six seasons with the Cubs. He was the Cubs' first-round pick and third player taken overall in the 1998 amateur

draft. He started 111 games last year, struggling with .215 average and just 13 homers in 126 games.

For the Orioles, Patterson adds depth to a depleted outfield and could challenge Luis Matos for the starting center field job. "It's a situation where Baltimore gets a chance to take a good gamble on a kid who still has a lot of upside if it works," Cubs general manager Jim Hendry. (AP)





**CUT OFF:** The NFL and the erectile dysfunction drug Levitra have opted to bench their three-year old sponsorship deal when it expires in March because "the ads shifted from men's health to a performance, lifestyle issue," an NFL spokesman said.

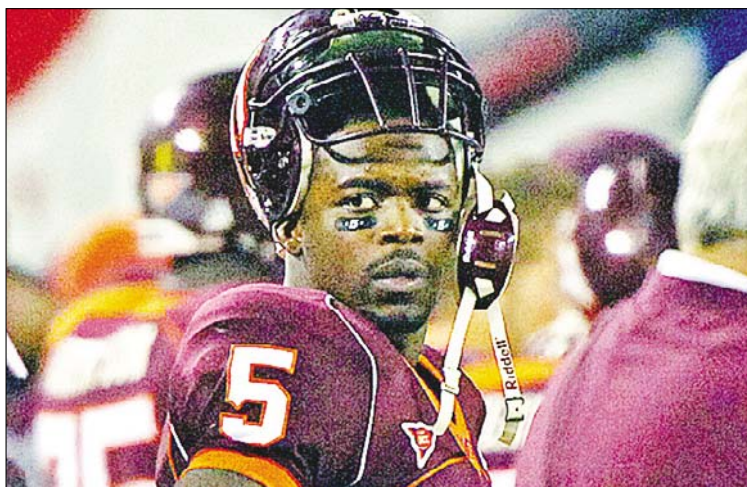
## Sports

# Vick's Problems Mount With Arrest

## Former Virginia Tech QB faces charges of pulling gun on teens

RICHMOND, VA. | Former Virginia Tech quarterback Marcus Vick, booted from the team last week for his behavior on and off the field, was charged Monday with pulling a gun on three teenagers during an altercation in a McDonald's parking lot in Suffolk, Va.

Vick surrendered at the Suffolk magistrate's office after three warrants were issued for his arrest Sunday, Magistrate Lisa Noel said.



Marcus Vick is charged with pulling a gun on three teens at a McDonald's in Virginia.

The 21-year-old Vick was charged with three misdemeanor counts of brandishing a firearm, and was released on \$10,000 bond.

If convicted of all three counts, Vick could be sentenced to up to three years in jail and a \$7,500 fine, police spokeswoman Lt. Debbie George said in a statement.

On Friday, Virginia Tech kicked Vick off the team, citing the cumulative effects of numerous legal problems and his unsportsmanlike conduct in the Gator Bowl, where he stomped on the calf of Louisville's Elvis Dumervil. Saturday, Vick announced he's turning pro. (AP)

# Duke Still No. 1 in the Latest Poll

COLLEGE HOOPS | The first full week of conference play jumbled the Top 25 except for Duke.

The Blue Devils remained No. 1 in The Associated Press college basketball poll Monday, as they have all season, and they were a unanimous choice for the first time.

Florida (14-0) extended the best start in school history with wins over Morgan State and Georgia and moved up three spots to No. 2.

Villanova (10-1) was knocked from the ranks of the unbeaten by West Virginia on Sunday, but the Wildcats held third. Connecticut (14-1), which lost 94-79 to Marquette and beat LSU 67-66 last week, dropped two places to fourth. Memphis, which lost to Texas last week, dropped from fourth to No. 5.

George Washington is No. 17 and Maryland slipped to No. 23 after losing to Miami. (AP)

## TODAY'S TV LINEUP

**HOCKEY (7 P.M. ON CSN)** The Capitals host the Chicago Blackhawks in the teams' only meeting this season.

**HOCKEY (7 P.M. ON OLN)** The Detroit Red Wings visit the Carolina Hurricanes.

**COLLEGE HOOPS (7 P.M. ON ESPN)** Wisconsin looks to follow up its win over Michigan State by topping Minnesota.

**COLLEGE HOOPS (7:30 P.M. ON ESPN2)** Virginia Tech seeks revenge for last year's blowout by North Carolina in Blacksburg.

**COLLEGE HOOPS (9 P.M. ON ESPN)** Kentucky welcomes back center Randolph Morris from a season-long suspension for its game against Vanderbilt.

## Navy Assistant Gets Georgetown Job

COLLEGE FOOTBALL | Georgetown hired Navy assistant Kevin Kelly as its new football coach on Monday.

Kelly spent the past four years as the special teams coordinator and linebackers coach at Navy, which won the Poinsettia Bowl last

month. He replaces Bob Benson, who resigned in December after 13 seasons.

Kelly has also been an assistant at Marshall, Syracuse, Tulane, Dartmouth, Northeastern, Bowdoin College and Southern Connecticut State. (AP)



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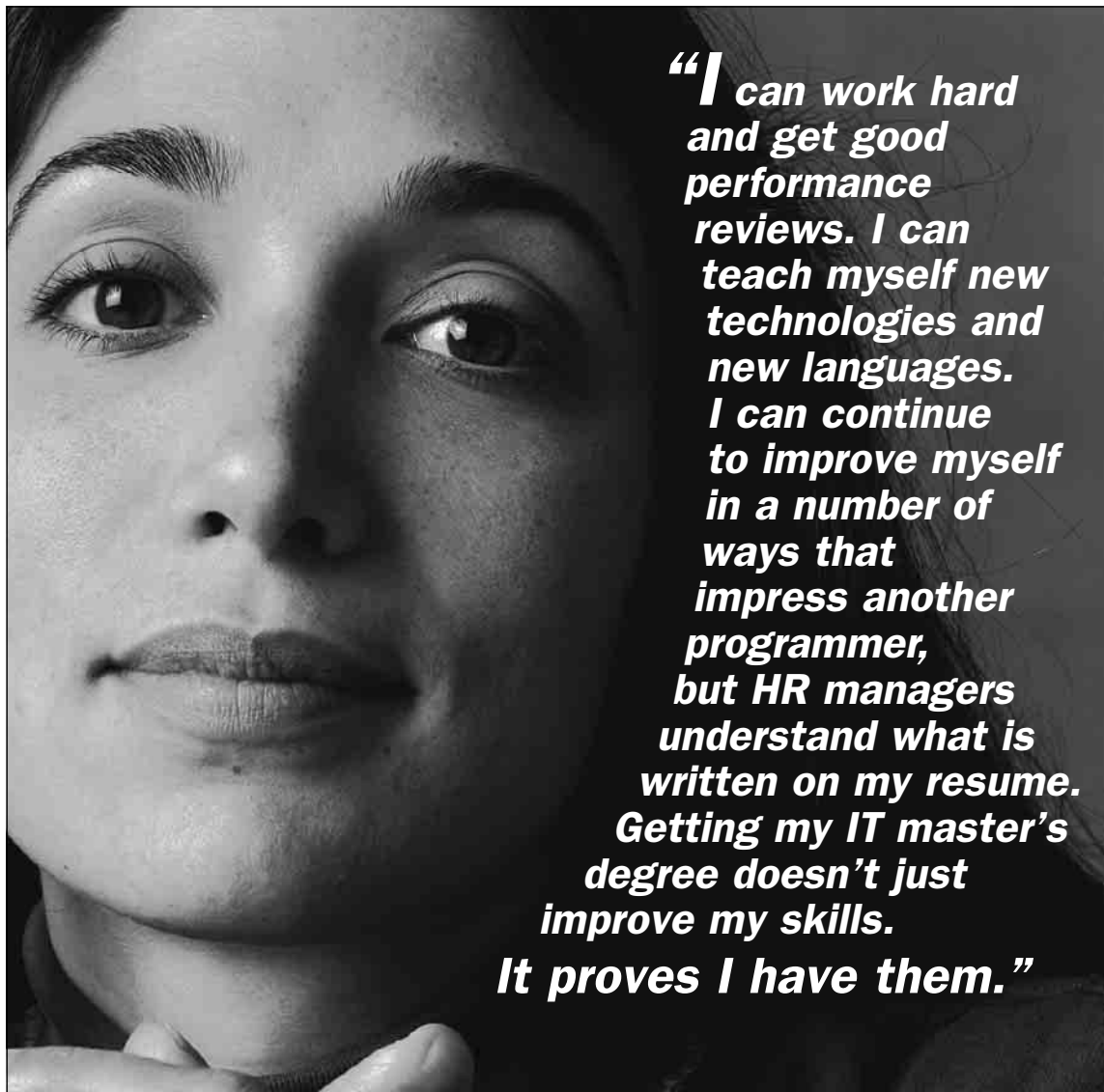
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## Entertainment

# Punk Art's Godfather

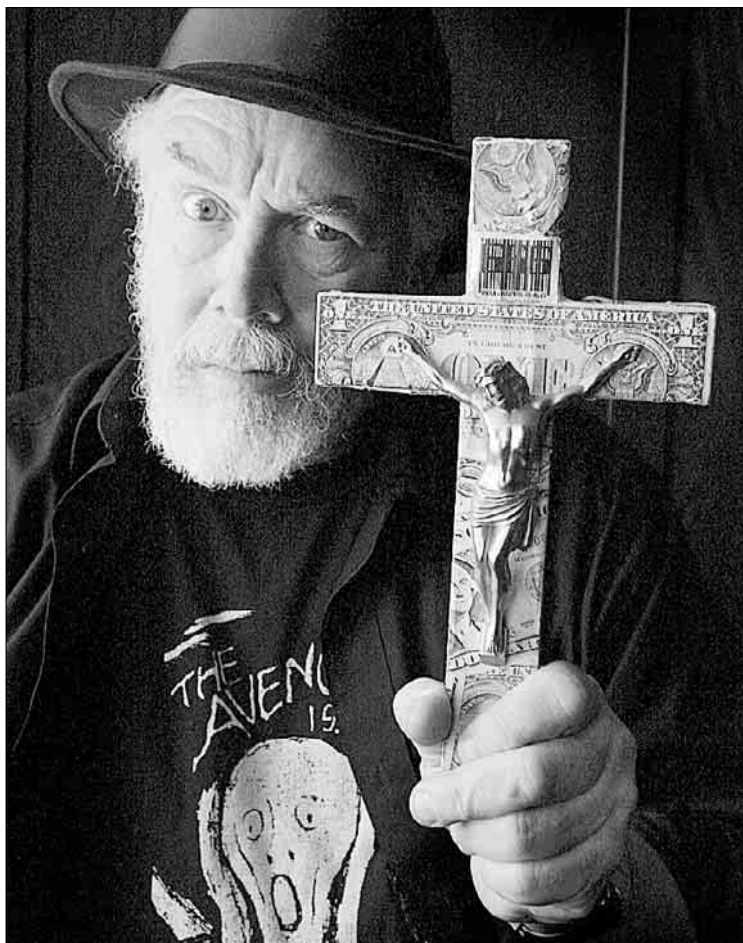
**After 30 years, Winston Smith still questions authority**

**REBELS** | Winston Smith, the artist who created some of punk rock's most recognizable symbols, stands outside San Francisco's DNA Lounge with a herd of tattooed and pierced punkers waiting to see GWAR. The heavy metal band consists of former art students known for dressing in elaborate monster costumes and spraying gallons of fake blood into the crowd.

"You realize that an entire generation has passed you by, but it shows how enduring punk really is," Smith, 53, said later at a coffeehouse in the city's North Beach neighborhood.

The artist is revered by fans and invited backstage to visit bands such as Green Day; he designed the cover art for the group's 1995 album, "Insomniac."

While the Ramones created the angry three-chord sound of American punk, Smith is credited with crafting a lasting album cover aesthetic — montage art blisteringly critical of the establishment. Most famously, he created the stylized logo of the Dead Kennedys, a San Francisco band that for many defined the in-your-face, politically



**IN GREEN WE TRUST:** One of Winston Smith's most famous pieces, which he calls "In God We Trust, Inc.," rails against the commercialization of religion.

liberal posture of 1980s American punk rock.

Smith's montage art is a dark

hybrid of 1950s advertising and scathing social criticism that skewers capitalism, domesticity and sex-

ism. These days, it's as likely to be hanging in places like the Varnish Gallery in San Francisco as it is to be stapled to a telephone pole.

But the artist known best for his confrontational work is a quiet and gracious man who sets his watch 35 minutes ahead to offset his perennial tardiness. And he's still challenged by today's technology — he struggles to figure out a cell phone, which he reluctantly bought last year.

Smith has worked by kerosene lamps in a cabin on California's North Coast for decades, a fitting remote location for an artist who painstakingly fashions his work by hand and who changed his birth name. (He took his current moniker from the protagonist of George Orwell's "1984.") His tools aren't computer programs but an X-Acto knife, musty magazines, old catalogs and glue, materials he uses to lampoon a world where "everyone is a suspect."

"Taking the wholesome role models and illusions forced on us and casting them in a wickedly different light makes us laugh," Dead Kennedys singer Jello Biafra wrote in the introduction to the second collection of Smith's work, titled "Arctime." "It makes us see and learn. It makes us think."

JUSTIN M. NORTON (AP)

## Today's Top Stops

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### 'The New World': Modern History

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Q'orianka Kilcher and Colin Farrell star in the long-awaited "New World."

# Masters of Disguise

**Tera Melos sounds like everything — and like no one else**

**MUSIC** | A four-piece rock band out of Sacramento, Calif., gets the nod for the most deceptively talented band of the year.

Tera Melos took a bit of rock, a dash of jazz, some ambient techno and a whole lot of punk and rolled it together for a nameless debut album, "Untitled" (Springman),



**NATIONAL MEN OF MYSTERY:** The California rock band can't be pinned down.

that pretty much defies every musical convention.

The eight songs on the album are

simply titled "Melody 1," "Melody 2," etc. The band does not employ a lead singer, or force any of the four

members to try their hand at crafting words around the crush of guitar or heady bass work.

Most of Tera Melos' songs begin with strains of something you think you're about to recognize as jazz fusion or a punk-infused standard. Then comes the beautiful mayhem, like the band fell down a long flight of stairs and somehow continued playing.

Tera Melos live shows are said to be the most kinetic affair you could watch short of a rugby match — blood, cartwheels and bodies thrashing wildly from stage end to stage end.

Buy a front-row ticket if you dare. RON HARRIS (AP)

### John Perkins: Dirty Money

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Nathan, Baltimore, MD

Dear Nathan:

Great question! Both deferments and forbearances allow you to temporarily postpone your monthly student loan payments. Deferments are generally approved for a specific reason such as being unemployed or going back to school, while forbearances are utilized for the more generic financial difficulty situations. The biggest difference between the two is that during a period of deferment, no interest will accrue on your subsidized Stafford loans while with a forbearance, interest will accrue on all of your loans. While you are not required to pay that interest (although it is strongly encouraged), if you do not, it will capitalize, or be added to the overall balance of your loan, at the end of the period. Note that for unsubsidized loans, interest accrues during both deferments and forbearances. You can find more detailed information about the different types of deferments and forbearances at your loan holder's website or at www.astudentslife.com.

Regards,  
-Betsy

### Defaulted Student Loan

Dear Betsy:

Do you have any information on any programs for people who have defaulted on their student loans and would like to try and resolve their account and credit?

Thanks,  
Dalton, Baltimore, MD

Dear Dalton:

Unlike most other consumer loans, federal student loans do actually give you some opportunities to try and clean up your credit. The program that you may have heard about is called **rehabilitation** and is something that Federal Direct Loan, Perkins and Federal Family Education Loan (FFEL) defaulted borrowers can all take advantage of. The requirements are as follows:

- You must make up to 12 voluntary, consecutive, on-time, monthly payments of an amount agreed to by your loan holder.
- Doubling up on payments or sending post-dated checks is not acceptable.
- If you are late or miss one payment, you must start the cycle from the beginning.
- Some loan programs only allow rehabilitation once.
- Once complete, you will be taken out of default, regain all your borrower benefits such as deferments, repayment options and eligibility for federal student aid, and, probably most importantly, some of the negative history from this default will be removed from your credit report.

It is possible that some defaulted loan holders may require only 9 or 10 on-time payments, but 12 is the norm for this program. You should also note that there are other ways of getting out of a default status on your loan such as paying the loan in full or consolidating it. While these options are faster than the rehabilitation process, they DO NOT remove the default line from your credit report.

It sounds like you are on the right track. Keep it up - it will be worth it in the end!

Regards,  
-Betsy

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RUMOR HAS IT (PG13) 1:45, 4:25, 7:15, 9:45  
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THE CHRONICLES OF NARNIA (PG) 12:00, 12:45, 3:15, 4:00, 6:30, 7:45  
HARRY POTTER 4 (PG13) 12:10, 3:35

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GRANDMA'S BOY (R) 2:20, 5:15, 7:45, 10:10  
HOSTEL (R) 1:55, 4:15, 6:50, 9:35  
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RUMOR HAS IT (PG13) 2:25, 4:50, 7:25, 9:55  
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THE RINGER (PG13) 2:10, 4:30, 6:55, 9:25  
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THE FAMILY STONE (PG13) 2:25, 5:10, 7:40, 10:25  
KING KONG (PG13) 1:00, 4:05, 5:05, 6:05, 8:05, 9:05, 10:05  
THE CHRONICLES OF NARNIA (PG) 1:00, 3:05, 4:10, 6:15, 7:15, 9:30, 10:20  
SYRIANA (R) 1:15, 4:25, 7:35, 10:30  
HARRY POTTER 4 (PG13) 2:15

### UNION STATION 9

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GRANDMA'S BOY (R) 2:15, 4:45, 7:35  
HOSTEL (R) 2:20, 5:15, 8:00  
MUNICH (R) 2:00, 5:10, 8:20  
RUMOR HAS IT (PG13) 2:05, 4:30, 8:10  
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KING KONG (PG13) 2:45, 7:30  
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THE CHRONICLES OF NARNIA (PG) 2:35, 5:30, 8:20  
SYRIANA (R) 2:10, 4:50

### COLUMBIA MALL 14

10300 Patuxent Parkway  
410-423-0520

GRANDMA'S BOY (R) 2:15, 4:50, 7:20, 9:50  
HOSTEL (R) 1:40, 4:30, 7:00, 9:30  
MUNICH (R) 2:50, 6:40, 10:20  
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THE CHRONICLES OF NARNIA (PG) 1:00, 3:15, 4:15, 7:30, 10:40  
SYRIANA (R) 4:10, 9:40  
HARRY POTTER 4 (PG13) 12:45 PM

### SPRINGFIELD MALL 10

Loisdale and Franconia Road  
703-971-3991

GRANDMA'S BOY (R) 5:20, 8:45  
HOSTEL (R) 1:45, 5:00, 8:45  
MUNICH (R) 1:10, 4:30, 8:30  
THE PRODUCERS (PG13) 4:50, 7:45  
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RUMOR HAS IT (PG13) 5:00, 8:15  
WOLF CREEK (R) 8:30  
CHEAPER BY THE DOZEN 2 (PG) 4:40, 7:30  
FUN WITH DICK & JANE (PG13) 5:10, 8:00  
KING KONG (PG13) 1:00, 4:35, 8:10  
THE CHRONICLES OF NARNIA (PG) 1:30, 4:45, 7:50  
HARRY POTTER 4 (PG13) 4:30

### RIVERTOWNE 12

Exit 4A I-95, 1/2 mi. on Oxon Hill Rd.  
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BLOODRAYNE (R) 4:40, 7:40  
GRANDMA'S BOY (R) 4:30, 7:40  
HOSTEL (R) 5:00, 7:30  
RUMOR HAS IT (PG13) 7:50  
WOLF CREEK (R) 4:50, 7:50  
THE RINGER (PG13) 5:30, 8:10  
CHEAPER BY THE DOZEN 2 (PG) 4:30, 7:30  
FUN WITH DICK & JANE (PG13) 5:10, 8:00  
KING KONG (PG13) 4:20, 8:10  
THE CHRONICLES OF NARNIA (PG) 4:40, 8:20  
SYRIANA (R) 5:20, 8:00  
YOURS, MINE & OURS (PG) 4:50  
HARRY POTTER 4 (PG13) 5:00, 8:20

### COUNTRY CLUB MALL 6

Country Club Mall on Voecke Rd near Route 68.  
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RUMOR HAS IT (PG13) 5:45, 8:15  
THE RINGER (PG13) 5:25, 8:15  
CHEAPER BY THE DOZEN 2 (PG) 5:15, 7:45  
FUN WITH DICK & JANE (PG13) 5:45, 8:00  
KING KONG (PG13) 4:00, 7:45  
THE CHRONICLES OF NARNIA (PG) 5:00, 8:00

### POTOMAC MILLS 18

2700 Potomac Mills Circle, Ste 886  
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MATCH POINT (R) 1:20, 4:30, 7:15, 9:55  
GRANDMA'S BOY (R) 1:40, 5:25, 7:35, 9:50  
HOSTEL (R) 1:35, 5:10, 7:30, 9:45  
MUNICH (R) 1:30, 5:05, 8:25  
CASANOVA (R) 1:25, 4:55, 7:20, 9:50  
THE PRODUCERS (PG13) 2:05, 4:50, 7:50  
RUMOR HAS IT (PG13) 2:15, 5:05, 7:20, 9:35  
WOLF CREEK (R) 1:45, 5:15, 7:40, 10:05  
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SYRIANA (R) 7:25, 10:10  
HARRY POTTER 4 (PG13) 1:15, 4:20

### MAZZA GALLERY

Jenifer and Wisconsin  
202-537-9553

MATCH POINT (R) 2:30, 5:30, 8:30  
CASANOVA (R) 2:00, 4:30, 7:00, 9:30  
THE PRODUCERS (PG13) 2:15, 5:15, 8:15  
RUMOR HAS IT (PG13) 2:20, 4:35  
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THE FAMILY STONE (PG13) 2:40, 5:00, 7:20, 9:35  
WALK THE LINE (PG13) 2:05, 5:05, 8:05

### COURTHOUSE PLAZA 8

Courthouse and Birch Rd.  
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HOSTEL (R) 3:10, 5:50, 8:20  
MUNICH (R) 2:00, 5:25, 8:50  
THE PRODUCERS (PG13) 2:40, 5:45, 8:40  
WOLF CREEK (R) 8:30  
MEMOIRS OF A GEISHA (PG13) 2:20, 5:40, 8:50  
THE RINGER (PG13) 8:45  
THE FAMILY STONE (PG13) 2:50, 5:15, 8:10  
THE CHRONICLES OF NARNIA (PG) 2:30, 4:30, 5:30, 7:45  
HARRY POTTER 4 (PG13) 2:10, 5:30

### ACADEMY 8

Beltway Plaza on Greenbelt Rd., Center Court  
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GRANDMA'S BOY (R) 5:20, 7:40  
HOSTEL (R) 5:00, 7:30  
RUMOR HAS IT (PG13) 4:50, 7:20  
WOLF CREEK (R) 4:40, 7:10  
CHEAPER BY THE DOZEN 2 (PG) 5:10, 7:50  
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KING KONG (PG13) 4:20, 8:10  
THE CHRONICLES OF NARNIA (PG) 4:30, 7:40

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CAPOTE (R) 6:10

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KING KONG (PG-13) (2:30 3:00) 6:20 9:30 10:10  
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WARDROBE (PG) (1:50 3:50 4:50) 6:50 7:50 9:50 10:50  
AEON FLUX (PG-13) 7:40 10:05  
YOURS, MINE AND OURS (PG) (12:55 3:10 5:10)  
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KING KONG (PG-13) (2:00) 6:00 9:40  
SYRIANA (R) (3:00) 6:15 9:00

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THE PRODUCERS (PG-13) (1:10 4:00) 6:50 9:40  
★ CASANOVA (R) (1:20 4:40) 7:10 9:30  
★ MATCH POINT (R) (1:30 4:20) 7:00 9:50  
MEMOIRS OF A GEISHA (PG-13) (2:00 5:00) 8:00  
BROKEBACK MOUNTAIN (R) (2:20 5:20) 8:20  
SYRIANA (R) (2:10 4:50) 7:30 10:10  
GOOD NIGHT, AND GOOD LUCK (PG) (2:30) 7:40  
CAPOTE (R) (5:10) 10:00

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CASANOVA (R) (11:00 3:00 5:40) 8:20 11:00  
★ THE MATADOR (R) (11:40 2:10 4:50) 7:20 9:50  
★ MATCH POINT (R) (11:00 11:55 1:50 2:45 4:40 5:35) 7:30 8:25 10:20 11:15  
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HARRY POTTER AND THE GOBLET OF FIRE (PG-13) (11:30)  
WALK THE LINE (PG-13) (1:05)

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★ GRANDMA'S BOY (R) Rear Window Captioning (5:10) 7:45 10:15  
RUMOR HAS IT... (PG-13) 7:30 10:00  
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FUN WITH DICK & JANE (PG-13) (5:30) 7:40 9:50  
CHEAPER BY THE DOZEN 2 (PG) (3:30 5:40) 7:50 10:10  
KING KONG (PG-13) (4:00) 8:00  
SYRIANA (R) (4:00) 6:50 9:40  
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RUMOR HAS IT (PG-13) DIG (1150 220 450) 740 1015  
CHEAPER BY THE DOZEN 2 (PG) DIG (1100 120 340) 610 830  
FUN WITH DICK AND JANE (PG-13) DIG (1115 135 355) 625 840  
BROKEBACK MOUNTAIN (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (1105 115 205 420 505) 715 810 1010  
KING KONG (PG-13) DIG (1130 110 330 515) 735 930  
SYRIANA (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (1125 225 525) 820  
WALK THE LINE (PG-13) DIG (1205 345) 705 1005

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MUNICH (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (1250 430) 810  
BLOODRAYNE (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (150 420) 720 950  
GRANDMA'S BOY (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (130 450) 730 1005  
WOLF CREEK (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (425) 1020  
RUMOR HAS IT (PG-13) DIG (125 415) 735 1010  
MEMOIRS OF A GEISHA (PG-13) DIG (135 455) 820  
THE RINGER (PG-13) DIG (155 445) 725 955  
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CHRONICLES OF NARNIA (PG) DIG (105 145 505) 700 815

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GRANDMA'S BOY (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (115 350) 730 950  
THE PRODUCERS (PG-13) DIG (1215 325) 720 1015  
RUMOR HAS IT (PG-13) DIG (110 420) 715 945  
CHEAPER BY THE DOZEN 2 (PG) DIG (1220 320) 740 1000  
FUN WITH DICK AND JANE (PG-13) DIG (1250 410) 735 955  
FAMILY STONE (PG-13) DIG (1235 405) 720 1010  
KING KONG (PG-13) DIG (1200 400) 800  
SYRIANA (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (1230 345) 710 1005  
CHRONICLES OF NARNIA (PG) DIG (1205 100 340 440) 700 750 1010

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HOSTEL (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (1135 1220 205 250 435 520) 705 750 930 1020  
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# Entertainment

**PRETENTIOUS DABBLER ALERT:** Although the cameras long stopped rolling on "Walk the Line," Joaquin Phoenix hasn't walked away from the music biz. He's just finished directing a music video by modern-rock band "People in Planes."



# A Slice of Street Life

**'The Shield,' FX's gritty cop drama, still at the top of its game**

**RETURNS** | I want a car like "The Shield." I want a sirloin like "The Shield." I wish I could find a laptop like "The Shield," and an airline and an anti-dandruff shampoo like "The Shield."

Week in, week out, it sets the bar for steadfast excellence that everything — not just other TV shows — should reach for.

It always has, with its splendid ensemble led by Michael Chiklis as Detective Vic Mackey (plus terrific castmembers CCH Pounder, Jay Karnes, Walton Goggins, Kenneth



**ROUGH JUSTICE:** Chiklis' Mackey gets tough with a suspect in FX's "The Shield."

Johnson, Catherine Dent, Michael Jace and David Rees Snell), its raw, kinetic storytelling and gritty vision of Los Angeles.

Now it's back for a fifth season, premiering tonight on FX. The saga of a rogue lawman — and the corrupt, warring precinct where only his brand of law enforcement seems to make a ripple — carries on where it left off, at full tilt.

A year ago, Glenn Close arrived as the new captain, Monica Rawling, who was full of plans for reforming police practice in the LAPD's blighted Farmington district. By the end of last season, Rawling's dreams were dashed and she was gone.

A major new headache comes courtesy of Forest Whitaker as Lt.

Jon Kavanaugh, who's in charge of an Internal Affairs probe with Vic in the crosshairs.

What Kavanaugh suspects and intends to prove is what viewers witnessed to their shock on the series' first episode back in March 2002: Mackey killed a fellow cop he knew had infiltrated his strike force for the feds. Then he pinned the shooting on a dead drug dealer.

"I always knew I didn't want to just let that murder fall by the wayside," said Shawn Ryan, the show's creator and now its executive producer. "Vic has become in many ways the quote-unquote hero of the show and he's very likable, so it's easy to forget about the misdeeds. But I think it's important to remind viewers of that side of Vic."

"The Shield" is an action show that's character-driven, with every character richly drawn and all of them compromised in one way or another. Everything should be this surefire. **FRAZIER MOORE (AP)**

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**SINGING WITH THE STARS:** “American Idol” host Simon Cowell knows a good thing when he sees someone else doing it. Cowell will be executive producer for “Duets,” a new Fox talent show in which professional singers pair off with celebs.



# Television

ON TV TONIGHT

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**DIRTY JOBS** (9 p.m., Discovery) Ever want to split Cubetown for a real hands-on career? The second season of this filthy pleasure may convince you otherwise.

IT'S THE MINDS THAT GOT SMALL

**SUNSET BOULEVARD** (8 p.m., TCM) This 1950 Billy Wilder classic is still the most stylish, debauched and gimlet-eyed indictment/glorification of the lies Hollywood tells itself.

NOT SYNERGY! NOOOOO!!!

**FEAR FACTOR** (8 p.m., NBC) In the second of what NBC is calling a "three-episode arc," the Factories are stuck inside the Psycho House and Bates Motel — both cinematic dwellings properties of Universal, owner of NBC. Blood shows ensue.



Foreman and Cameron try to figure out what's wrong with the Fourth Estate.

IS THAT YOU, MR. O'REILLY?

**HOUSE** (9 p.m., Fox) A well-known journalist comes into Princeton Plainsboro Teaching Hospital spouting gibberish. Why the good doctors think this is anything unusual is a real medical mystery.

ARION BERGER (EXPRESS)

# Bulls & Stem Cells

**PBS and TLC's  
fascinating glimpses  
into sport and science**

CHAPS | “NOVA scienceNOW” (8 p.m., PBS) rings in 2006 with a roundup of some of the past year’s groundbreaking discoveries and advances in science.

Among the topics covered on this edition of the quarterly PBS magazine: Is there really a 10th planet? Can you make embryonic stem cells without an embryo? Will there be a flu pandemic? Can you make meat in a lab? And does global warming cause more intense



**BULLISH ON AMERICA:** Professional Riders get 8 seconds in the spotlight.

hurricanes? All that, plus exploding toads in Germany and studies on cell-phone use while driving. The witty and knowledgeable Robert Krulwich is host.

If the riders are lucky, they stay mounted for eight seconds. If not, they bite the dust. Professional bull-riding is the fastest-growing professional sport in America, according to one study, with a fan base of 16 million.

TLC goes along for the ride on a yearlong pro tour as rivals battle one another to win a million-dollar prize and a championship title. "Beyond the Bull" (9 p.m., TLC) spotlights three riders as they compete, balancing their sport with families and careers while they master their own fears.

FRAZIER MOORE (AP)

11:00		6:00 PM		6:30		7:00		7:30		8:00		8:30		9:00		9:30		10:00		10:30		11:00		11:30	
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	WTTG	5	Seinfeld		The Simpsons		The Simpsons		Seinfeld		Bones "A Man on Death Row"		House "Failure to Communicate" (N)		News		Geraldo at Large		Friends						
	WJLA	7	News		ABC Wld News		Wheel of Fortune		Jeopardy! (N)		According to Jim	Rodney (N)		Commander In Chief (N)		(01) Boston Legal (N)		News							
	WUSA	9	News		CBS News		9News Tonight		Ent. Tonight		NCIS "Boxed In" (N)			The 32nd Annual People's Choice Awards (S Live)		News		Late Show							
	WDCA	20	That '70s Show		That '70s Show		Friends		Every-Raymond		★ ★ "Blue Crush" (2002, Action) Kate Bosworth, Matthew Davis.			The Tyra Banks Show		Girlfriends		Girlfriends							
	WMPT	22	The NewsHour With Jim Lehrer (N)		Business Rpt.		Outdoors Md.		Nova "NOVA scienceNOW" (N)		National Geographic			Frontline Support systems for the boys include their classrooms.				Washington Wk							
	WETA	26	BBC World News		Business Rpt.		The NewsHour With Jim Lehrer (N)		Nova "NOVA scienceNOW" (N)		Frontline Support systems for the boys include their classrooms.			BBC World News		Tavis Smiley		Charlie Rose (N)							
	WBDC	50	Steve Harvey		The Parkers		My Wife and Kids		Bernie Mac		Gilmore Girls "The Perfect Dress" (N)		Supernatural "Scarecrow" (N)		Bernie Mac		My Wife and Kids		Sex and the City						
BASIC CABLE	A&E		American Justice: Oil, Money...			Cold Case Files				Crystal Meth: A County in Crisis		Bounty Hunter	Bounty Hunter		Airline		Airline		Crossing Jordan "Pandora's Trunk"						
	Animal		The Crocodile Hunter			The Most Extreme "Odd Couples"				Chasing Nature "Golden Orb Spider"		The Most Extreme "Builders"		Spider Files: Australia's Tarantula		Chasing Nature "Golden Orb Spider"									
	BET		106 & Park: BET's Top 10 Live			BET.com Count				The Ultimate Hustler		The Ultimate Hustler		Comicview		In Living Color		In Living Color							
	Bravo		Queer Eye for the Straight Guy			The West Wing				Project Runway "Social Scene"		Queer Eye for the Straight Guy		Queer Eye for the Straight Guy (N)		Project Runway "Social Scene"									
	Comedy		(5:00) ★ "One Night at McCool's"			Com.-Presents		Reno 911!		Daily Show	Colbert Report	Chappelle's Show	South Park	Distraction		Mind of Mencia		Daily Show	Colbert Report						
	Court		Forensic Files		Forensic Files		Cops "Pilot"		Cops "Pilot"		Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	The Investigators "Video Vigilantes"		Masterminds		Masterminds						
	Discovery		Cash Cab (N)		Cash Cab		MythBusters "Killer Tissue Box"				Most Dangerous Jobs in the World		Dirty Jobs Marble quarry. (N)		MythBusters Falling elevator.		Extreme Aerialists		High-wire walkers.						
	DISCH		Paramedics "Desert Sirens"			Trauma: Life in the ER "Total Divert"				Dr. Know (N)	Dr. Know (N)		Inside the Criminal Mind		Love on the Rocks (N)		Dr. Know		Dr. Know						
	Disney		Sister, Sister		Phil of the Future		That's So Raven		That's So Raven		★ ★ "Gotta Kick It Up" (2002, Drama) Susan Egan, Camille Guaty.			American Drgn		Sister, Sister		That's So Raven		That's So Raven					
	E!		Jennifer Aniston			E! News (N)		E! News			Goldie & Kate: The E! True Hollywood Story			Gastineau Girls		GrIs Gone Bad		Saturday Night Live							
	FX		That '70s Show			★ ★ "X2: X-Men United" (2003) Patrick Stewart. Premiere. A right-wing militarist pursues the mutants.				Designed to Sell	Design Remix	Decorating Cents	Mission: Orgnz	House Hunters		Buy Me			The Shield "Extraction"						
	HGTV		Renovation		Wknd Warriors		Curb Appeal		House Hunters					Whose Line?		Whose Line?		The 700 Club							
	Family		7th Heaven "Let's Talk About Sex"			Smallville "Fever"				★ ★ "The Sandlot" (1993, Comedy-Drama) Tom Guiry, Mike Vitar.				Whose Line?		Whose Line?		The 700 Club							
	History		History Now			Modern Marvels: Survival Technology		Mail Call		Mail Call		Engineering Disasters 3		Modern Marvels: Mountain Roads				The Wrath of God							
	Lifetime		The Golden Girls		The Golden Girls		★ ★ "On the Line" (1998, Drama) Linda Hamilton, Jeff Fahey, Coolio.			★ ★ "Point Last Seen" (1998, Suspense) Linda Hamilton, Kevin Kilner.				Will & Grace		Will & Grace									
	MTV		My Own (N)		Room Raiders (N)		Direct Effect			True Life "I'm Moving to NY"				Meet the Barkers		Meet the Barkers		Room Raiders		True Life "I Have OCD"					
	NICK		All Grown Up		Danny Phantom		Fairly Oddparents		Jimmy Neutron		SpongeBob	Ned's School		Full House		Fatherhood		Roseanne		Roseanne					
SCI FI		Stargate SG-1 "Sentinel"			★ "Cabin by the Lake" (2000, Suspense) Judd Nelson, Hedy Burress.				★ ★ "Riding the Bullet" (2004) Jonathan Jackson, David Arquette.				★ ★ "Firestarter: Rekindled" (2002)												
SPIKE		World's Wildest Police Videos			CSI: Crime Scene Investigation			CSI: Crime Scene Investigation		★ ★ "Shade" (2003) Stuart Townsend, Gabriel Byrne. Premiere.			The Playbook (N)		Real TV										
TBS		Seinfeld		Seinfeld		Every-Raymond		Every-Raymond		Friends		Friends		Sex and the City		Sex and the City		Seinfeld							
TLC		Martha (N)			Rides A 1970 Chevelle SS.			Overhaulin' Working on a GTO. (N)		Beyond the Bull "Out of the Gate"		Miami Ink (N)		Beyond the Bull "Out of the Gate"											
TNT		Charmed "The Fifth Halliwheel"			Law & Order "High & Low"			Law & Order "Hands Free"		Law & Order "Thin Ice"		The Closer "The Big Picture"		Cold Case "Disco Inferno"											
USA		(4:30) ★ ★ "Private Parts" (1997)			Law & Order: Special Victims Unit			Law & Order: Criminal Intent		★ "A Man Apart" (2003, Action) Vin Diesel, Larenz Tate. Premiere.			Law & Order: Criminal Intent												
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	ESPN2	ESPN Hollywood		Quite Frankly With Stephen A. Smith		College Basketball North Carolina at Virginia Tech. (Live)				NBA Coast-to-Coast (Live)				Season Weekly											
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NEWS	CNN	Lou Dobbs Tonight			The Situation Room			Paula Zahn Now		Larry King Live				Anderson Cooper 360											
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	MSNBC	The Abrams Report			Hardball			Countdown With Keith Olbermann		Rita Cosby Live & Direct				Scarborough Country				The Situation With Tucker Carlson							
MOVIES	AMC	(5:45) ★ ★ ★ ★ "Goldfinger" (1964, Adventure) Sean Connery. 'GP'						★ ★ ★ "Never Say Never Again" (1983, Adventure) Sean Connery, Kim Basinger. 'PG'					(:45) ★ ★ ★ "Octopussy" (1983) Roger Moore. 'PG'												
	TCM	★ ★ "Of Human Bondage" (1946, Drama) Paul Henreid. 'NR'						★ ★ ★ "Sunset Blvd." (1950, Drama) William Holden. 'NR'					★ ★ ★ "Mr. Skeffington" (1944, Drama) Bette Davis. 'NR' (DVS)												
	HBO	(:15) ★ ★ "Stargy & Hutch" (2004, Comedy) Ben Stiller. 'PG-13'						★ ★ ★ "Love Actually" (2003, Romance-Comedy) Alan Rickman. 'R'				(:15) ★ ★ "Son of the Mask" (2005, Comedy) Jamie Kennedy. 'PG'													
	MAX	(5:30) ★ ★ "Whiteboys" (1999) 'R'			★ ★ "Torque" (2004) Martin Henderson. 'PG-13'			★ ★ ★ "Cry Baby" (1990) Johnny Depp. 'PG-13'				★ ★ ★ "Harry Potter and the Prisoner of Azkaban" (2004) Daniel Radcliffe.													
	SHOW	★ ★ "Agent Cody Banks 2: Destination London" (2004)			Sleeper Cell			★ ★ ★ "The Yes Men" (2003) The Yes Men. 'R'			Boxing: Best		Sleeper Cell "Al-Faitha" (iTV)			The L Word Bette and Tina rekindle.									
	TMC	So I Married		(:25) ★ ★ "Artworks" (2002) Virginia Madsen. 'R'				★ ★ "Good Boy!" (2003) Molly Shannon. 'PG'			★ ★ "The Prince & Me" (2004, Romance-Comedy) Julia Stiles. 'PG'					Bram Stoker's									
	STARZ!	(5:45) ★ ★ "Harold & Kumar Go to White Castle" (2004)			(:20) ★ ★ "Son-in-Law" (1993) Pauly Shore. 'PG-13'			★ ★ "Hostage" (2005, Action) Bruce Willis, Kevin Pollak. 'R'					★ ★ "Nothing to Lose" (1997) 'R'												
	ENCORE	(:15) ★ ★ "Guardina Tess" (1994) Shirlev MacLaine. 'PG-13'						★ ★ ★ "The Terminator" (1984) Arnold Schwarzenegger. 'R'					★ ★ ★ "The Bourne Supremacy" (2004) Matt Damon. 'PG-13'												



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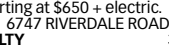
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## Miniatures

**With smaller cattle, you don't need lots of land to have a herd**

If you're a suburban cowboy hankering to raise a herd and short on ranch land, mini cattle may be for you.

New breeds of pint-sized cows and bulls are making it easier for small farmers to raise cattle for milk, meat or just fun.

On Bill Bryan's 50-acre spread in Trappe, Md., he has sold seven calves this year.

"We've sold the vast majority of our calves to people who have these little three- to five-acre farmettes, and they'll fence in an acre, buy a calf, and, more or less, keep 'em for pets," Bryan said. Two mini cattle calves stood nearby, contentedly munching on grass in a small fenced-in area, skittering away if visitors got too close.

Bryan is among a group of pioneering breeders raising miniature

cattle that can be as little as a third of the size of the larger breeds.

You don't need the back 40 acres to raise these breeds; the back four will do. Mini cattle eat about a third as much as full-sized cattle, are less destructive of pasture land and fencing, and are easier to handle.

"You want to know something? I can handle them better," Bryan said, recounting a struggle the winter before with a full-sized steer who got his horns caught in a hay rack.

While each animal may be smaller, more meat can be produced over-

all from each acre, breeders say. And the smaller size of each animal also has its benefits.

While some people look to save money by buying an entire cow or a side of beef, it can be difficult to store the hundreds of pounds of meat from

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**CALF THE PRICE:** Bill Bryan said he gets more for small cattle than regular ones.

**“My wife won't eat anything we grow on the farm. She says, 'If it don't come on a Styrofoam tray, we don't eat it.'”**

**CHARLES WARREN**  
MINIATURE BULL OWNER

of their animals.

"Women can raise these steers just as well as men can," Bryan said.

Miniature cattle calves are more expensive than the standard size because they are still relatively rare. Bryan said he is getting \$1,600 for female calves and \$1,000 for bulls, compared to \$500 to \$600 for normal calves. But he expects prices to drop as the mini varieties become more common.

Richard H. Gradwohl, who has developed a number of small breeds in Covington, Wash., said several niche markets have developed for the miniature breeds.

"The years where we had people with three, four, five hundred acres are gone," Gradwohl said. ALEX DOMINGUEZ (AP)

# Teeny Beef

a 1,200- to 1,500-pound animal, of which about 40 percent makes it to the freezer.

Miniature cattle, which often are between 500 and 700 pounds, provide enough meat to last a family of four six months. That's just about

the freezer shelf life of beef, said Bryan. And the meat can taste the same, depending on how the cattle have been raised and fed.

Bryan said his wife, Donna, does most of the farm work, spending about two hours a day taking care

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# Road Age

## Marketing

### Cars meant for the under-30 crowd find buyers from all ages

It wasn't until Jim Tudor got his new Honda Element that he noticed a quirk in its design. Why was the boxy vehicle's sunroof over the empty back seat instead of his spot up front?

"It's supposed to be for my surfboard," said Tudor, who's the grandfather of two and never surfs anywhere but the Internet. "It was really only after the fact, when I started doing a little reading on the car, that I found out I wasn't supposed to be the one driving it."

It turns out many of the people buying the Element — which looks like a cross between a minivan and a Hummer — aren't the young surfers

**“There are 142 million people in the U.S. who are less than 30 years old. They grew up in a different era.”**

**MARK TEMPLIN**  
SCION VICE PRESIDENT

and mountain bikers Honda expected. It's the same for many buyers of Toyota's Scion models.

Those vehicles were designed and pitched by automakers to capture the hearts and dollars of consumers in their 20s or even younger.

But a funny thing happened on the cars' way to the youth market — people in their 40s, 50s or 60s found they suited their lifestyles, too.

Honda was "hoping to get parents



Jim Tudor values his Element's easy-clean flooring more than its surfboard space.

to buy it for their kids. It didn't work out that way," said Art Spinella, president of CNW Marketing Research,

which tracks consumer spending. "The parents who bought it decided they wanted it. The whole car got

hijacked by the baby boomers."

The demand for these cars from older buyers has thrown a small curve to Honda, Toyota and others trying to broaden their appeal and build allegiance with consumers who will be key to their future business. Automakers are hardly upset that boomers are buying their youth-themed cars. On the contrary, they're happy to sell cars to whomever wants one, manufacturers say.

But the embrace of the Element, Scion's xB, Pontiac's Vibe and other cars by drivers across the age spectrum reveals some of the unpredictabilities of the marketplace. Mainly, that consumers will often make purchases that fit their lifestyles and self-image, even if it's not exactly what the manufacturer had in mind.

Take Tudor, who lives in Newborn, Ga., and drives 40,000 miles a year for his job. He loves the car because it has loads of room to fit all the stuff he carts around for work. Tudor, who frequently drinks coffee or eats french fries while behind the wheel, also likes the upholstery and flooring that's easy to clean. "It just met my needs," he said. ADAM GELLER (AP)



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# The Snappy Couple



**After 20 years of marriage, Connie Chung and Maury Povich** are letting viewers eavesdrop on their living room banter on MSNBC's "Weekends with Maury and Connie," which premiered Saturday. In honor of their love, we present these duo delights for other pairs who can't bear to be apart. **VICKY HALLETT (EXPRESS)**



→ Take the chemistry into the kitchen with the **NEWLYWED COOKING KIT** (\$75 OR \$85 WITH MONOGRAM, [REDENVELOPE.COM](http://REDENVELOPE.COM)). As if Maury and Connie really needed help getting things cooking.



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## Bears



### Fierce Little Bears

Even with hair extensions and hip-huggers, the Tyra Banks-designed teddy bear, top left, is not ready for the runway. But she's lovable and her proceeds go to charity, so hey, that's fierce. It's part of 1800Flowers.com's auction of **SEVEN CELEB-INSPIRED BEARS**, with 100 percent of the proceeds going to Save the Children. Other stars include Jennie Garth of "90210" fame and designer Kenneth Cole. The auction continues until Friday at [1800flowers.com/celebrityteddybear](http://1800flowers.com/celebrityteddybear). Even better than bidding, though, is seeing the sketches because, man, Tyra cannot draw. **KRISTEN PAGE-KIRBY (EXPRESS)**

## Cleaning

### Leave No Dust Behind

The new **DIRT DEVIL REACTION** is aptly named. One look at its bagless canister, HEPA filter and "Dual Cyclonic Action" sticker and it's obvious that this baby's a reaction to the Dyson, the vac that swept clean freaks off their feet with its mindblowing dust-kill-ing suction. At \$170, the Reaction (at Target and Home Depot) is much cheaper — Dysons start at \$400. Is it as good? It's hard to judge fairly without weeks to compare. The Dyson 07 is easier to maneuver, but the Dirt Devil's hose is quicker to deploy. It also sucked up Dyson-like quantities of dust from the Express office floor. **HOLLY J. MORRIS (EXPRESS)**





## Michael Wilbon

## Chat House

Post sports columnist **MICHAEL WILBON** on Monday discussed the Redskins' victory over Tampa Bay and the upcoming game | [washingtonpost.com/liveonline](http://washingtonpost.com/liveonline)

**Should Joe Gibbs give any thoughts to putting Patrick Ramsey in? Mark Brunell does not seem to be healthy and they will need to put up points this week.**

You're joking, right? If Brunell can play — and we agree he's hurting — he has to play, period. He didn't seem any worse for wear after the game Saturday, so he might be a little better on Saturday in Seattle. Problems now, however, are that Wynn is out, Thrash is hurting and most important, Portis took a major beating Saturday in Tampa.

**Can you explain why a coach can't review a "down by contact" call? There were several cases over the weekend where the refs simply made a bad call but coaches were unable to challenge. What is the point of having instant replay?**

Here's the explanation on why you can't review "down by contact." Because the NFL says so. The rules say you can't. That's it, that's the list. Not too complicated. Just like, why is a guy down if the whistle blows inadvertently? Because the whistle blew, period. That's it.

**Shawn Springs is proclaiming his availability for Sunday's game, but a strained groin doesn't heal after a week. Do you believe the Seattle Seahawks see Springs as wound-**

**ed prey and will attempt to single him out and throw his way until otherwise?**

I talked to Shawn at length. He wanted to play Saturday in Tampa and just couldn't. He would have tried, but the coaches said no, take a seat. Now, I know Shawn wants to play this week more than ever because he's going to the city where he made his home and played quite well for, what, seven or eight seasons? I think he'll play. I have no idea — and neither does he at the moment — whether he'll be healthy.

**I'm really concerned about the Redskins' offense going into this week's game against the Seahawks. Do you think that they can step up and score against this high-scoring team?**

I think the Redskins' offense will score 24 points, but that might not be enough to win. Seattle, even against a great defense, can score 28 points. If the Redskins can hold Seattle to 21 points, I think the offense can score enough to win.

### → Today on Live Online

**NOON:** Mark Goulston, M.D., author of "Get Out of Your Own Way at Work," will be online to take your questions about conquering self-defeating behavior on the job.

## Letters

### Polygamists Aren't Mormons

**I ENJOYED READING** the article in Monday's Express titled "Red-Latter Day" in reference to a day of commemoration for the man that introduced the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints to the current and past millennia (he did not establish the church, that was done by Jesus Christ quite awhile ago). The article also notes that church members "believe in hon-

oring, obeying and sustaining the law," and there is a large quote on the page from Gordon B. Hinckley saying, "We have very little sympathy for those who disobey the law." It is important to point out that while the article says that "some fundamentalist Mormons" still support polygamy, that polygamy has been against the law for over 100 years, thus those supporting it are not members and often are enemies of the church even though they may insist on using the familiar nickname Mormon.

—JEFF WRIGHT  
Centreville, Va.

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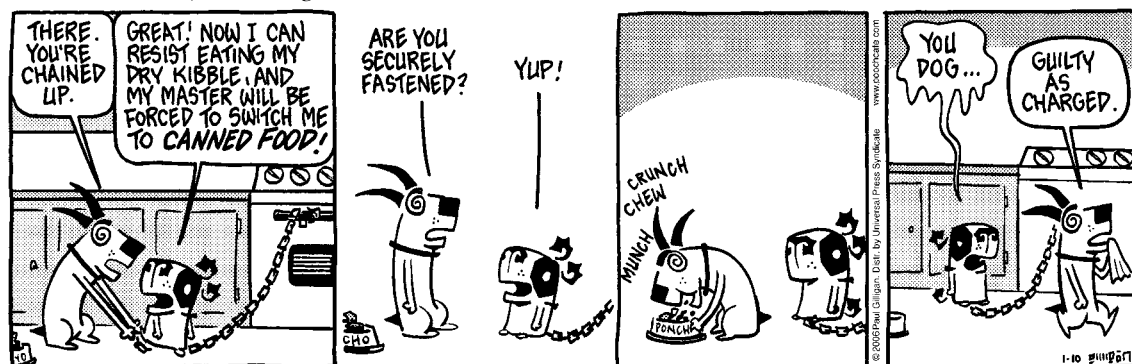
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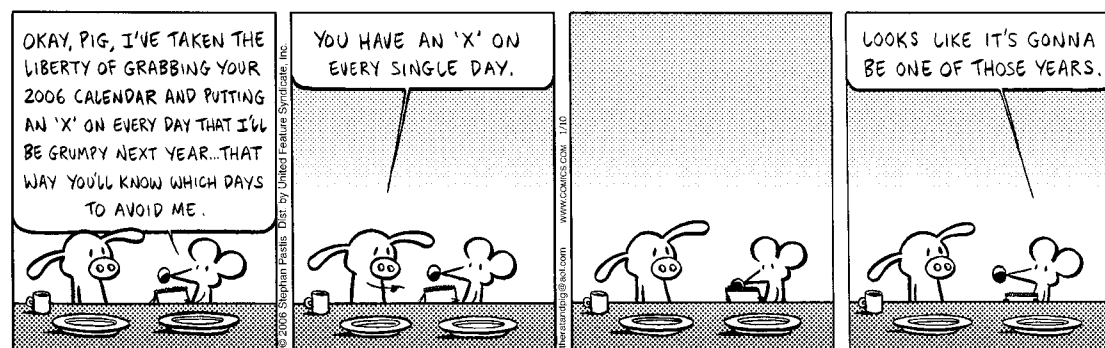
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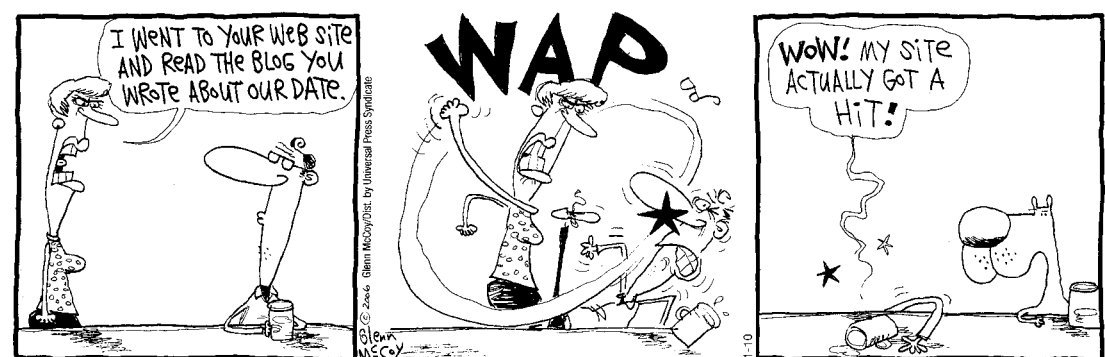
### Pooch Cafe | Paul Gilligan



### Pearls Before Swine | Stephan Pastis



### The Duplex | Glenn McCoy



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A SHOCKING CRIME

“That is about two blocks from my house in D.C., which is really, really scary.”

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NEW YEAR, NEW BREAKUP

“We thought this was going to be the year of marriages, love and babies since 2005 was the year of break-ups. I guess we were just too optimistic.”

POPSUGAR.COM IS SADDENED BY THE BREAKUP OF ACTORS HILARY SWANK AND CHAD LOWE, WHO HAVE BEEN MARRIED FOR EIGHT YEARS.



TRANSLATION

“It may be hard for you to understand, but not all people from Guatemala in D.C. know each other. We don't emit a scent that makes us know each other. ... Sure, we may wash your clothes and clean your house, but along the way we picked up your language.

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LOVE BIRDS



“Lindsey Lohan and Leonardo DiCaprio? Sure, why not.”

GOLDENFIDDLE.COM ON THE NEWS THAT THE TWO ARE DATING AFTER MEETING AT LOHAN'S NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY IN MIAMI. THE TWO APPARENTLY SHARED A MIDNIGHT KISS HOURS BEFORE LOHAN WAS RUSHED TO A HOSPITAL WITH ASTHMA.

**DON'T** forget about the freakin' gap. Today's the day the London Underground's Metropolitan line became the first operational passenger subway system, in 1863. See how the Tube compares to Metro by checking in on the Going Underground blog (London-underground.blogspot.com).

Horoscope

By Stella Wilder

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)** You'll take pleasure in the little things that most people are likely to miss. As a result, your day is bound to be more rich and fulfilling.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)** Dependability and respect go hand in hand. The more you are willing to give another his or her due, the more you'll be appreciated, too.

**PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)** It won't take you long to prepare, so you should be able to enjoy getting down to business earlier than usual. This could become routine!

**ARIES (March 21-April 19)** You can enjoy the fact that the ball is in your court. What shall you do? The options are many, and you want to get the maximum effect.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20)** You must be sure that there is a good way to address every eventuality. You don't want to leave too much to chance at this time.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20)** You mustn't

let others take advantage of you. You can be sure that someone will try to overtake you and usurp your authority; don't let him!

**CANCER (June 21-July 22)** Consistency may be the hobgoblin of little minds, but for you it is a necessity as you try to prove yourself in no uncertain terms.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)** Play it safe, and trust that you'll get all you need from that one special someone who really knows how to give you what you want.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)** Professional issues are likely to prevail even at home, and it's a good day to talk over your plans with family members.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)** There is no reason for you to abandon a current endeavor simply because of a minor setback. Steel your resolve and get back to work!

**SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)** You mustn't skip anything. Be thorough and detailed in all your work. You can, as well, expect others to do the same. Cooperate!

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)** You'll have a chance to work closely with those who can gain much from your own experience. You, too, will gain from listening.

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**Today**

Partly sunny, not as warm  
**52°**

**Tonight**

A late-night shower possible  
**40°**

**Wednesday**

Cloudy, times of rain, mild  
**55° / 46°**

**Thursday**

Partly sunny, warm  
**62° / 46°**

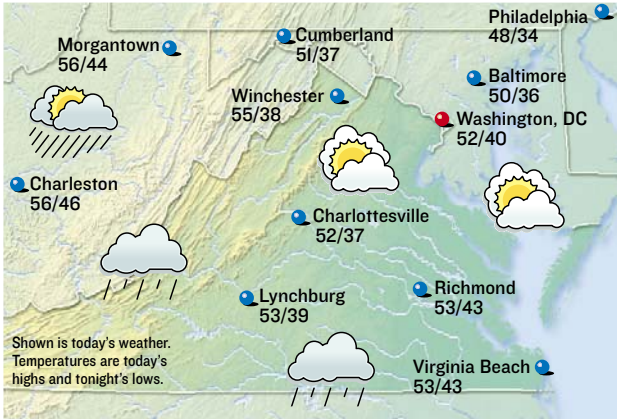
**Friday**

Increasingly cloudy, warm  
**62° / 46°**

**Saturday**

Windy, cooler, rain possible  
**52° / 34°**

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Year to date ..... 0.46"  
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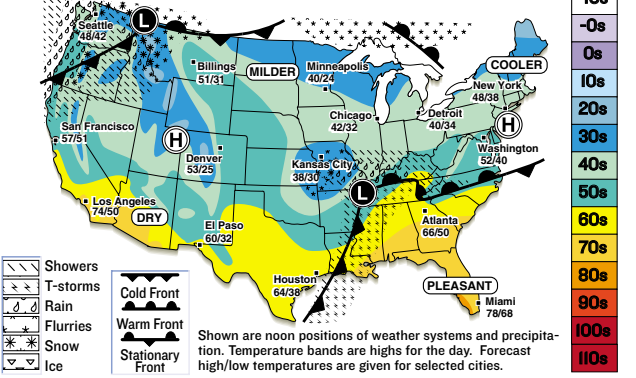
**D.C. Metro:** Today, partly sunny, not quite as warm. High 52. Wind variable 4-8 mph. Tonight, becoming cloudy, a shower possible late. Low 40.

Sun and Moon

Sunrise today ..... 7:27 a.m.  
Sunset tonight ..... 5:05 p.m.  
Moonrise today ..... 1:41 p.m.  
Moonset today ..... 4:21 a.m.



National Weather for Tuesday, January 10



National Cities

City	Today	Wed.
Atlanta	66/50/pc	61/49/sh
Boston	44/32/s	48/42/r
Chicago	42/32/pc	48/30/sh
Dallas	57/38/pc	70/50/s
Denver	53/25/s	60/24/pc
Honolulu	83/69/s	82/70/s
Los Angeles	74/50/s	70/52/pc
Miami	78/68/pc	80/68/sh
New York City	48/38/s	52/44/r
Orlando	76/58/pc	76/58/sh
Seattle	48/42/r	46/38/sh

World Cities

City	Today	Wed.
Amsterdam	43/33/pc	43/36/sh
Athens	47/40/sh	46/37/sh
Berlin	37/34/pc	42/31/s
Buenos Aires	79/67/pc	81/68/t
Calgary	33/13/sn	34/16/sf
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Sydney	84/72/pc	88/70/t
Tokyo	43/33/pc	41/32/sh

s-sunny, pc-partly cloudy, c-cloudy, sh-showers, t-thunderstorms, r-rain, sf-snow flurries, sn-snow, i-ice.





GINO DOMENICO/AP

James Frey is bad to the bone. Or is he?

## SILLY

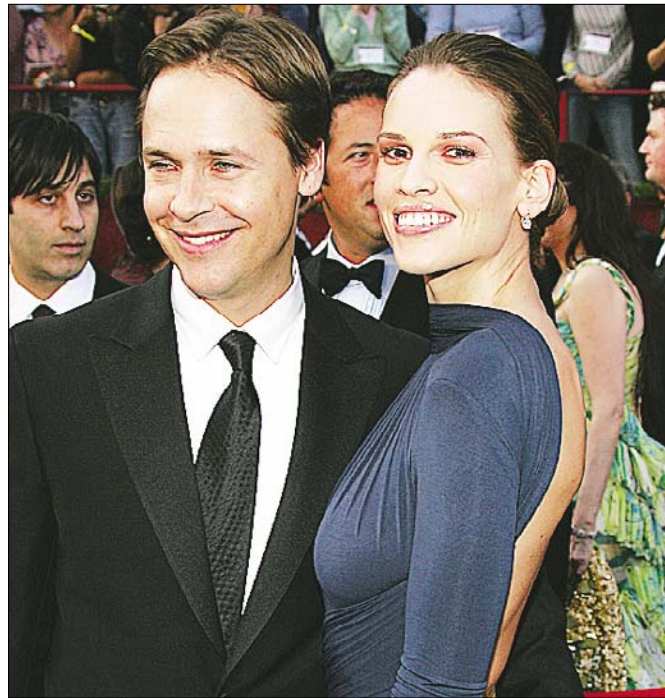
### All Celebrities Should Cover Up Non-Crimes. This Is Fun!

TheSmokingGun.com has alleged that **JAMES FREY**'s best-selling memoir about substance abuse, "A Million Little Pieces," exaggerates his past, with inflated claims about his criminal record and his involvement in an accident that killed two high schoolers. "Police reports, court records, interviews with law enforcement ... and other sources have put the lie to many key sections," the site said. (AP)

## SMACKDOWN!

### Would You Like a Sip of My Beer's Backwash Too, Jon?

**BILLY CRYSTAL** said he passed on the Oscar hosting job that went to Jon Stewart because his one-man stage show is consuming his attention. Academy Awards producer Gil Cates repeatedly asked, "please do the show," Crystal said. But "700 Sundays" was his first priority. "I'm so tired at the end of '700 Sundays,'" Crystal said. "I didn't want to go from that [to] saying, 'Give me 'Brokeback Mountain' jokes.'" (AP)



CARLO ALLEGRI/GETTY

## INEVITABLE

## The Wait Is Over

Two-time Oscar-winner **HILARY SWANK** and actor husband **CHAD LOWE** have separated after more than eight years of marriage. "Hilary and Chad have decided to separate, but they are hopeful they'll be able to get through this tough time," Swank's manager Troy Nankin said in a statement Monday. There was no elaboration on the reason for the split. (AP)

## EXPECTING

### A Nice Normal Baby Name

**MARK WAHLBERG** and girlfriend Rhea Durham will welcome their second child. The 34-year-old actor and Durham, a model, already have a 2-year-old daughter, Ella Rae. Their second is due in March. "My dad called me Mike since I was a

kid. So in honor of my dad, I think we're going to name him Michael,"



Wahlberg said. The actor, who is one of nine children, doesn't anticipate having as many kids as his father. (AP)

## WARNING

### Documentary Films May Have Jumped the Shark

Al Gore's new television network, Current TV, is turning to **SEAN PENN**, Robert Redford and others to give advice to fledgling filmmakers. Current TV has been operating since August. The bulk of its programming is short films by young documentarians. Current says it wants contributions from audience members



along with material it solicits. To help would-be contributors, the network has just produced a "survival guide" that it is making available online. It includes advice on journalism and storytelling from Redford and Penn, along with academics, authors and filmmakers. Other participants include actor and screenwriter Bonz

Malone and author Dave Eggers ("A Heartbreaking Work of Staggering Genius"). (AP)

Who let  
Eva work a  
car show?  
Who?  
WHO?



MICHAEL BUCKNER/GETTY

## A CAR SHOW??

### Her Agent Should Be Fired With Extreme Prejudice

"Desperate Housewives" actress **EVA LONGORIA** was on hand Sunday to help Chrysler Group executives show off their latest concept cars, including a sleek sedan with a sumptuous interior based on the popular 300C. She sauntered across the stage as DaimlerChrysler AG Chief Executive Officer Dieter Zetsche and Chrysler CEO Tom LaSorda warmed up the crowd of journalists. And she rolled up with LaSorda as they brought the Imperial concept, which sported the look of a highly refined 300C, on stage for a second showing. "I'm desperate for one of these cars," she quipped. (AP)

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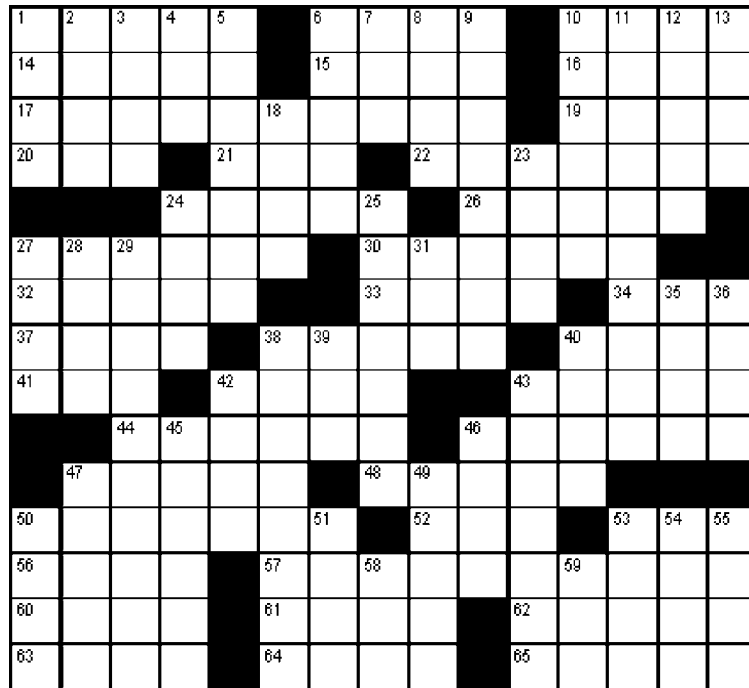
### ACROSS

1 Exasperated  
6 Pond life  
10 Nile reptiles  
14 Rob's mate  
15 It needs room to grow  
16 Low-level smuggler  
17 Candied item  
19 It's on tap in Mexico  
20 It may be bitter or loose  
21 The Gramophone Company Ltd., later  
22 Turns from side to side  
24 Redact  
26 Barbarians  
27 Acropolis locale  
30 Straighten out, as an iron bar  
32 Like some jokes  
33 Professional charges  
34 Hearty pub offering  
37 Why you may give a darn?  
38 Send to another doctor  
40 Sarah McLachlan hit song  
41 Greek letter  
42 Certain Pueblo Indian  
43 Computer programmer, e.g.  
44 West of country  
46 Settle a debt  
47 Luke's father  
48 Lorelei's river  
50 Bowler's aim  
52 Env. extra

53 Period of note  
56 Cuzco people  
57 White House area  
60 Prom attendee  
61 Weather-beaten  
62 Human herbivore  
63 Gets it all wrong  
64 J.F.K. sights, once  
65 Plant swelling problem

### DOWN

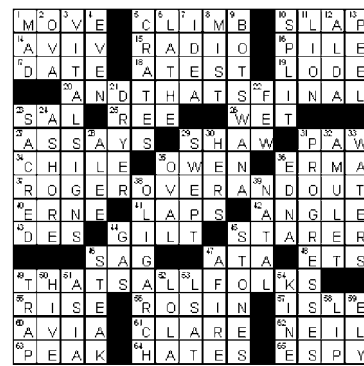
1 Mass in Arctic waters  
2 Rake in  
3 Twosome  
4 Vase with a footed base  
5 Where many a story starts  
6 Chilled meat garnish  
7 "To Kill a Mockingbird" author  
8 "\_\_\_ Louise!"  
9 Seat-of-the-pants talker  
10 South American river  
11 Gold digger's target  
12 Name-drops a product  
13 Global seven  
18 Some grounded birds  
23 Hits the road  
24 Formally surrender  
25 More thin-skinned



27 Throb  
28 Horseback ride  
29 Luau  
31 Formerly known as  
35 In \_\_\_ of  
36 Tombstone tamer  
38 Some tax shelters  
39 Prefix with center or cycle  
40 Welk opening  
42 Start of a Web site address  
43 Like some

lenses  
45 They may be vital  
46 "Turandot" role  
47 Mel works here  
49 Obeys  
50 Toy with a tail  
51 Yuletide quaffs  
53 Chisel feature  
54 Do boring work?  
55 "Black Beauty" author Sewell  
58 Matched parts or part of a match  
59 Type of meat

### Yesterday's Solution



## Today in History

**1776** Thomas Paine published his influential pamphlet, "Common Sense."

**1863** London's Metropolitan, the world's first underground passenger railway, opened to the public.

**1870** John D. Rockefeller incorporated Standard Oil.

**1920** The League of Nations was established as the Treaty of Versailles went into effect.

**1946** The first man-made contact with the moon was made as radar signals were bounced off the lunar surface.

**1971** "Masterpiece Theatre" premiered on PBS with host Alistair Cooke introducing a drama series, "The First Churchills."

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Degree of Difficulty: MEDIUM

Fill in the boxes so that each row, column and 3-by-3 square includes the digits 1 through 9. For solution, tips and computer program, see [www.sudoku.com](http://www.sudoku.com)

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3	9	1	4	7	5	2	8	6
7	2	5	6	8	9	3	1	4
8	4	6	1	3	2	9	7	5
1	5	2	7	9	6	4	3	8
9	3	7	5	4	8	6	2	1
6	8	4	2	1	3	5	9	7
5	1	8	3	2	4	7	6	9
2	6	9	8	5	7	1	4	3
4	7	3	9	6	1	8	5	2

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	9		7		4		3	
				2				9
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